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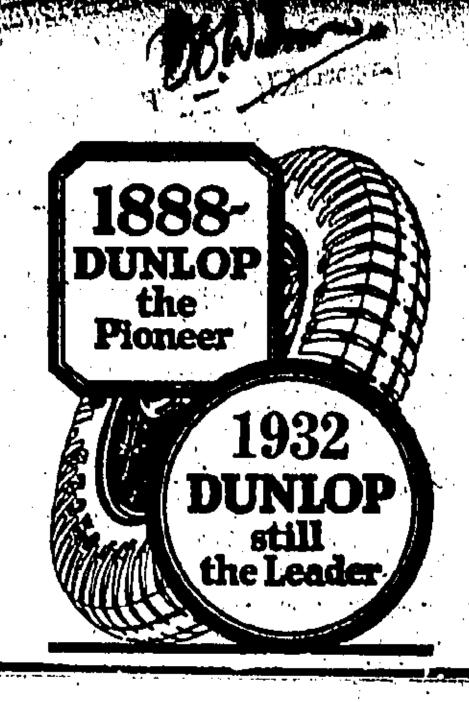
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TO-DAY'S DOLLAR. — The closing rate of the dollar on demand, to-day was 1/5 9/16.

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FIGHTING **SEVERE** KIANGWAN **BEYOND**

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THEY HAVE FOUGHT WITH COURAGE THAT IS UNPARALLELED.

All last night, the Chinese subjected the Japanese lines on the Chapei front to a terrific "strafe." It was thought, at one time, that the Chinese might make a night counter-attack, but this was not undertaken.

Chinese reports claim the recapture of Miaohongchen, after severe fighting in which the Japanese suffered heavy losses. Japanese circles, however, deny such reports.

Severe fighting is in progress beyond Kiangwan. and the village is now said to be virtually in Japanese hands. The Chinese troops are fighting desperately and courageously, but no human beings can stand against the barrage of steel and high explosives which the Japanese are now bringing to bear upon them.

Again the Municipal authorities of Shanghai are becoming apprehensive of dis rders in the Settlement as a result of the thousands of idle workers, and attempts are being made to accommo late them elsewhere, but the problem of feeding so many hungry mouths is a serious problem.

The Chinese air base at Hangchow is reported to have been bombed, this morning, by the Japanese. Much damage to 'planes and hangars is said to have been done.

From Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai (11.46 a.m.), To-day.

The severest fighting, yet experienced, has occurred beyond Kiangwan, where the Japanese, in spite of the resolute opposition, pushed into new positions, after intensive artillery and air bombardment, and are holding whatever ground they have succeeded in capturing. Successive waves of counter-attacks have crumbled and been broken under withering musketry fire.

The Chinese seem to be shaken by the continued thunder of the barrage which has now shifted to the rear and by the pounding from high explosive shells from aircraft.

The Japanese broke through the elaborate engage the attackers. As the Chinese defences after several days of careful preparation, finally clearing Kiangwan Village almost entirely of Chinese detachments and machine-gun |vice. nests.

Colonel Harada, Japanese Military Attache, pays tribute to the Chinese soldiers who, he says, have exhibited unparalleled courage.

The Municipal authorities are apprehensive of grave disorders breaking out among the thousands of idle workers, and Chinese officials are transporting thousands to other parts. The feeding of so many hungry mouths is a serious proble m.

Chinese Artillery "Strafe" Japanese Lines.

Shanghai (1.10 a.m.); To-day.

artillery echoes and re-echoes throughout Shanghai as the Chinese bat- Chapei continued throughout the teries are subjecting the Japan- night, but no attempt was ese lines on the Chapei front to made to storm the Japanese a terrific bombardment, which lines there. With the approach now, at 1.00 a.m., has been go- of dawn, the intensity of the Ta-Tung (meaning the Great given to relieve the National Debt. ing on for the last hour. The artillery fire subsided, but the shelling has caused yet another rattle of machine-guns went on huge fire, which is rapidly ex- without cessation. tending.

Chinese may attempt a night- yet experienced beyond Klangattack on the Chapei front, wan, in which it is stated that along which the Japanese de- the Japanese suffered heavy fences have been considerably casualties, Misohongchen was troops, on the Chapei-Kiangwan press of Russia, at present lying in

ing alongside the Consulate have not been fired upon. Minohonychen Recaptured by Chinese. Shanghai (7.25 a.m.),

The Chinese bombardment of

Chinese reports claim that, There are indications that the after the most severe fighting for upper of the service.

SHANGHAI REFUGEES FUND.

Special Performances at King's Theatre.

MARCH 2.

In aid of that deserving charity — The Shanghai Refugees Fund — the management of the King's Theatre, with that courtesy and sympathy, for deserving causes commonly delighted the Disarmanow associated with it, has de- ment Conference to-day cided to make over to the Fund , the entire proceeds of the four With an up-to-date vernesday. March 2. The entire Madariaga proceeds will be made over to Committee managing the Fund and left the whole meetin Shanghai.

will be noticed from programme is to be presented at that day — March 2.

film will be "Seas Beneath" with George O'Brien in the title role. Cuss disarmament. The secretaries.—British Official Wire-Lieutenant," featuring screen favourite,

Chevalier, will be shown. ness" with the Marx brothers will provide entertainment.

ly successful British film "Plunder" will be shown.

we feel sure, will see to it that the claws. Then the bear patronised.

CHINESE AIR BASE AT could embrace all the HANGCHOW BOMBED. others in his loving arms.

Much Damage Done.

Shanghai (12.22 p.m.),

At eight o'clock this morning, a number of Japanese aeroplanes, bombers and fighters, flew over Hangchow and bombed the Chinese air base there, and claim to have destroyed five 'p'anes on the landing field and the hangars, and also to have crashed two Chinese 'planes that rose into the air to Japanese bombers left, they report they saw parts of Hangehow city flames.-Reuter's Pacific Ser-

MANCHOWKUO.

New Name for Manchuria.

'ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE" IN MANCHURIA.

Mukden. Yesterday. The Manchurlan "Administrative Committee" has issued a statement to the effect that the name of the new Independent State will be Manchowkuo, with Changehun as

the Capital. The Ruler will be called Chinuntil formally initiated by the People "According to a Constitution to be promulgated in the future." The name of the new Era will be.

The new flag will be yellow, with red, blue, white and black bars in the upper corner.—Reuter's Pacific

weakened, owing to the concen- captured early this morning by sector, were extremely busy dry-dock at the Kowloon Docks, a tration of troops at Kiangwan. Chinese forces, strengthening their defences in young Chinese fitter fell from the Up to the present, the Japanese, however, deny anticipation of a fresh Japanese staging, fracturing his left leg. He count rate from three and a half

DISARMAMENT FABLE.

"Spanish Aesop."

HUMOUR AND WIT AT THE CONFERENCE.

(Reuter's Special Service.) Geneva, Yesterday. The "Spanish Aesop" ing, including M. Lit-Prices will be as usual, and as vinoff, convulsed with

each of the four shows to be held related that the lion, the eagle, the tiger, the bull Each sub-committee will be com-At 2.30 o'clock the feature and the bear met to dis-posed of one delegate from each will be "Sens Reneath" with and the bear met to dis-At 5.10 p.m. "The Smiling lion, eyeing the eagle, less Press. Maurice suggested abolition of the wings of the eagle. FUNERAL OF NOTED At 7.15 p.m. "Monkey Busi- Looking towards the bull, it favoured aboli-And at 9.30 that outstanding- tion of the horns of the bull. Fearing the tiger, Hong Kong Chinese, especially, it suggested abolition of

welcomed abolition of all

GENERALLY OVERCAST.

The Royal Observatory's re-

these weapons, so he

port issued this morning states:-The anti-cyclone is central to the East of Sianfu, moving Eastward. The depression has deepened and moved to the East of

Forecast: N.E. winds, fresh; generally overcast.

Ramiall. Rainfall for 24 hours ended at 10 a.m. to-day nil. Total since January 1—1.94 inches against an average of 2.97 inches—deficit 1.03 inch. Turningature

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Hong Kong	50
Macao	50
Pratas Island	61
Manila	74
Foochow	48
Amoy	47
Chefoo	25
Shanghai	29

RELIEVING NATIONAL DEBT.

Sir A. Chamberlain's Statement.

Rugby, Yesterday. Sir Austen Chamberlain, the cheng (meaning Dictator) and shall Chancellor of the Exchequer, stated Major V. R. Burkhardt, R.A., has in the House of Commons to-day been appointed Military Attache that since August 23 Cash and Gov- Peking. The appointment to be ernment Certificates to the value of effective from June 28 .- Reuter.

over £100,000 had been voluntarily In addition to this, many people had surrendered their claims to pensions or other sums due to them from public funds,—British Official Wireless Press.

Whilst engaged working on the propellor of the C.P.S. liner Emese Consulate, or the Japanese this report.

Onslaught—Reuter's Pacific Ser- was removed to the Kwong Wah to three per cent. — Reuter's The object of this meeting is for of the proposal to increase the Admiral's Flag-ship, which is ly- During the night, the Chinese vice.

Hospital for treatment. Hospital for treatment.

TRIUMPH FOR SIR JOHN SIMON.

Resolution Adopted the Disarmament Conference.

> SUB-COMMITTEES TO BE NOMINATED.

Rugby, Yesterday. The Disarmament Conference this afternoon unanimously adopted the resolution proposed by the British Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, as follows: -

"That the General Commission showings at the theatre on Wed- sion of the fable. Senor resolves to carry on its discussions within the framework of the draft the Tung Wah Hospital, which why Russia favoured full liberty being reserved to all institution has undertaken to general disarmament, delegations to develop their own proposals in subsequent debate and to move their amendments in the form of modifications, additions or omissions, at an appropriate point." After three hours' discussion the advertisement appearing else- laughter by his reference Conference decided to nominate where in this Paper, a different to the Russian bear. He sub-committees to deal with land, sea and air armaments, war budgets and political questions.

country assisted by experts and

AUTHOR.

Edgar Wallace's Last Resting Place.

"RASS PRINCE'S" LEGEND.

(Reuter's Special Service.)

London, Yesterday. Turf were represented at uneral of Edgar Wallace at Little of Mr. Stimson's letter to Senator church was lined by people wreaths, which included one 'Honolulu," bearing the legend "all equal on the turf and under the

MUNITIONS FOR JAPAN.

Small Exports from Britain.

London, Yesterday. In the House of Commons today, Mr. W. Runciman announced that in December, 1931, Britain had exported munitions to the value of £29,648, of which three-fifths represented automa- Meeting of the "Star" Ferry tic quickfiring guns. In January, Ltd., held in the Board Room consisting almost wholly of ordinary resolution passed quickfirers.—Reuter.

BRITISH MILITARY ATTACHE AT PEKING.

Major Burkhardt Appointed.

London. Yesterday. The War Office announces that

Rediscount Rate Reduced.

New York, Yesterday. New York has reduced, its redis-

MR. STIMSON'S LETTER TO SENATOR BORAH

LEVER TO INDUCE BRITISH

CO-OPERATION UNFORTUNATE

EMBARK AGAIN ON A NAVAL

BUILDING RACE.

THREAT

Washington, Yesterday. explained within the tramework of the Disarmament Convention, Mr. Stimson's letter to Senator Borah may be used as a lever to induce Britain to co-operate more closely with the United States in the Far East, according to leading American newspapers, which hold that Britain would prefer to support Washington vigorously in order to prevent Japan embarking on a policy of imperialism, on which many United States' officials believe the Japanese military party is determined, rather than see an increase made in the Ameri-

can fleet and fortification bases erected in the Pacific. Newspapers declare that Mr. Stimson's disappointment at the failure of Britain and France to support vigorously his defence of the Nine-Power Treaty is an "open secret."-Reuter's American Service.

BRITISH PRESS COMMENTS.

"Daily Telegraph."

London, Yesterday. Commenting on Mr. Stimson's "Hint to Japan," the Paper observes that the letter completely traverses Japanese protestations of non-violation of the Nine-Power and Kellogg Pacts, but remarks that his reference to the time question would commend general assent, if, during the last ten years' successive Chinese Governments had seriously made an effort to set China's house in order and loyally carried out treaty obligations which omissions alone. make it impossible for Britain to subscribe without a careful qualification to Mr. Stimson's case.—Reuter.

London, Yesterday. American relations. The Ameri-The "News Chronicle" in a lead- can impression of Anglo lukewarmer to-day says that anxiety for ness may be unfair, but it is de-Anglo-American co-operation in sitable that it should be removed The Press, the Stage and the the Far Eastern crisis is evident, at the earliest and not allowed to the It stresses the extreme importance develop into conviction.—Reuter. Washington, Yesterday. Marlow, Bucks, where the novelist Borah, and refers to an angly European Powers' line of action had a country home. The mile Japanese Foreign Office apologetic in regard to the Far East is re-

long road from the house to the letter. The letter (Mr. Stimson's), garded here as co-operation with with it says, has received a warm re- the League rather than enunciafrom ception in all sections of American tion of any individual policy, such a popular tipster, "Rass Prince opinion, and remarks that the as Mr. Stimson's note to Japan of United States feels that American January 7, and is concerned with action in the Far East has been charges and counter-charges of hampered with the most unfortun-latrocities, such as the use of Dumate results by European lukewarm-. Dum bullets, slaughter of civilians, ness, and avers that European re- etc., bandled between the Chinese ception of the note may determine and Japanese representatives .for years the warmth of Anglo- Reuter's American Service.

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Directors' Fees

TO-DAY'S CONFIRMATORY MEETING.

At an Extraordinary General 1932, munitions exported to Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. Japan were valued at £12,285 Ltd., at 12.30 p.m. to-day, an extra-

Shareholders for the increase of the

Directors' fees was confirmed as special resolution. The Hon. Mr. J. J. Patterson presided and was supported by the Hon. Mr. C. G. Mackie, J. P. Warren, A. H. Compton, and H. H. and Mr. Priestley (Directors),

F. H. Crapnell (Secretary). The Shareholders present were Chev. J. M. Alves, Capt. R. D. ordinary General Meeting held on Thomas, and Messrs. W. S. Bailey. J. Hyde, D. Mackenzie, Frank, ing, if thought lit, as a Special Re-

hill, and J. F. Wright. as follows:

manner following: (a) By deletion of the words \$5,000, per annum. the fourth lines of Article 96a of firmed. the Company's Articles of Associa- Seconded by Mr. W. S. Balley, and tion and the substitution therefore carried unanimously.

British Government Stocks in Demand.

FINANCE.

Rugby, Yesterday.

There was to-day no change in the Bank Rate, which remains at 5 per cent. Demand for leading British Government Stocks was the most interesting feature; on the market, and these showed substantial improvements at the close. Funding Loan 4 per cent. rose 11/2 to 921/2, Conversion fives rose % to 104%, Consolidated Loan fives rose % to 89, and War Loan fives rose 1/4 to 100%.—British Wireless

the proceedings at the First Extra-February 11, 1982, and of confirm-Austin, E. G. Smith, L. S. Green-solution the Resolution which you have just heard read by the Secre-The Secretary read the resolution tary and which was passed at that meeting. This Resolution, you will That the Articles of Association remember, was to alter the Comof the Company be altered in pany's Articles of Association and to increase the Directors' fees to

"One Thousand Dollars" contained I now beg to propose that the partly in the third and partly in Extraordinary Resolution be con-

of the words "Five Thousand The Chairman: That is all the The Federal Reserve Bank of Dollars." Dusiness, Gentlemen. On behalf of Addressing the meeting the the Board, I thank you for your at-

Chairman said: ______tendance and for your confirmation

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The Colony's Trade.

RELAPSE RECORDED JANUARY,

Imports and Exports Fall by \$5.6 and \$9.7 Millions.

STRIKING FIGURES.

Chinese Boycott of Japanese Goods Mainly Responsible.

According to the official returns Singlets compiled by the Statistical Branch Wearing of the Imports and Exports Department the trade of the Colony suffer- Sundries ei a relapse in the month of Janu- China Ware ary, the total value of imports Clocks and of Credits, Travellers' Cheques, Bills amounting to \$54 millions (the Electric Lamps of Exchange and Cable Transfers lowest figure since October 1930), bought and sold. Current accounts while exports totalled \$38.8 millions Flasks Vacuum

As compared with January of last Isinglass year imports declined by \$5.6 mil- Lamps and

IMPORTS January January 1931 Merchandise .. \$54,087,209 \$59,569 025 Treasure \$ 1,530,468 \$ 5,263,184 Paper Printing Total \$55,617,677 \$64,832,180 Printing and EXPORTS January January

\$38,288,053 \$47,975,629 Merchandise ... Troasure \$ 4,121,004 \$10,845,988 Total \$42.409,057 \$58 821 617 Part of the declines in the trade of the Colony during January was due to the Chinese boycott of Japanese goods which continued with

increasing intensity, the total im-\$1.3 millions as compared with \$5.2 ports fluctuated from \$37.7 Railway ports from Japan amounting to only millions in January 1931; piece goods declining by \$1.9 millions and

foodstuffs by \$1.1 millions. For the four months October-

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in Imports from July chief declines Japan:---Jan. 1931 Jan. 1982 August Building Materials 280,204 55,767 September Piculs

Chemicals & Drugs Hydrochloric \$ Bleaching 6,521 Power \$ Sodium 14,735 Sulphide \$ 27,545 Sulphur Pharmaceutical Products \$

Chinese Medicines Chinese Medicine N.O.E. \$ Foodstuffs Fish & Fishery Products \$ Piculs

Wheat Flour 264,156 Grains **57.878** 20,205 5,758 Potatoes Condiments Meat and Fish, (Tinned and

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Glassos 33,432 120,919 Lithographic Materials \$ 25,344 Toys & Games \$ Monthly Fluctuations. Since January of 1981 total im-

ports of Merchandise into Hong Oils & Kong have fluctuated from the lowost dollar value (54.1 millions) in Paints (January 1932 to the highest (71.8 millions in February 1931 to

\$54.4 millions in March 1931. Tobacco (1,445,578) (figures are given below nverage rates of exchange, brackets:-IMPORTS EXPORTS \$59,569,025 \$47,975,629 January (£2,981,918) (£2,861,800) 68 Fobruary (£2,562,468) (£1,788,742) Electrical

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To - day - Central Thentra: "Tarzan the Tiger."

To - day - Star Theatre: "Coquette." To-day — Harmston's Circus.

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Chung, 3 p.m. Meetings. To-day-Meeting of the Hong 346,793) Kong Practical Psychology Club at Lane, Crawford's Restaurant at 6

> To-day-Kowloon Residents' Association, St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon, 6 p.m. To-morrow - Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, 1

Monday—Humphreys Estate and 4,263,629) Finance Co., Ltd., Hong Kong Hotel, 11.80 a.m. March 2-Dairy Farm, Ice & Albert Road, 11 a.m.

ing, noon. March 4-Hong Kong Benevolent Society, Sanitary Board Room, 1,017,550 Post Office Bldg., 11 a.m. March 9-Hong Kong Telephone

Co., Ltd., Exchange Bldg., 2nd floor, 11 a.m. Flower Show. March 3-Hong Kong Horticultural Show, Velunteer Headquar-876,666) ters, 3-7 p.m.

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March 80, recommend the following 2,578 distribution. Pay a dividend of 85 cents per ahare, absorbing \$170,000.00

Write off Plant and Machinery 7,709.82 Carry forward to credit



CHAPTER V.

WHAT HAS HAPPENED SO FAR, "He knows a great deal about you. Alexander Rosanoff, an aviator in You are strongly suspected. He the Russian secret service, delivers knows that on the day of the de- look upon me as a woman, a beautia packet of confidential papers to claration of war you lunched with ful woman, an accomplished dancer, the Russian Embassy in Paris and the Prefect of Police in Berlin and no doubt. But in Germany, when persuades Colonel Shubin, ranking drove with him all afternoon I dance, they worship me as a god-Attache, to take him to see the through the crowds ..." famous Mata Hari perform an "My dear friend! But I could exnone to meet Adriana, owner of the There had been some complaint to display. resort and an enemy spy. Here she about my dance to Kali-there are "Even you, Shubin, who know me shirked her task. She sends him what's one to do?" away and sets out to get the papers. But it's more than that! Dubois This threat that he would lose

The dancer did not come to the it is apparent that the enemy has Dubois told me, I am' point as soon as they were alone, received fresh information. How "I know what you are doing! You Songhowever. Although she was sure of would you explain that?" much information. But often in the here who are not soldiers, and I find fresh dispatches from Russia." past she had been obliged to nurse aviators most charming. I don't exhim through periods of remorse pect you to sympathise with this. melancholia, he had promised to be-II am sure Monsieur Dubois would." come not only useless to her but; "It's a pity," she said lightly, dangerous.

Men were so queerly foolish, sen-|converse with Monsieur Dubois." timental. A man had to cling to "You are likely to have that op- begged, "ask it-no-" his pride and his honour even if he portunity soon—and repent it!" could do so only by lying to himself. "My dear Shubin!" Often she was adamant. A woman would dispense with pride bluntly called men by their last giving them a thought, if, by so threatening me?" what she wanted.

quired much more dash and courage to reflect. A queer thought occurthan to be loyal since it was so red to her. That Dubois suspected speciousness of her accusations. much more dangerous.

They talked like old friends. No that would be an exceedingly grave a final twist of the knife. ticing that he was rejuctant to touch matter. Shubin was not only very took a sip or two herself. Ordinarily jurisdiction; his home, his office there is to it." she disliked the fiery stuff.

the French secret service.

"Dubois himself, no doubt?" "Yes," he said after a moment. ed in the hope that he would say or In that case she anticipated that do something to betray her? He the matter would not be quite so would never shield himself behind thought quickly, rather exhilarated. to believe. But-but he could be It was much more fun to match wits trapped.

and overcome obstacles. "Yes," she replied in a tone of in- "Oh, I must get warmed first!" to see me dance last night and I Shubin's." Pavilion. As if I were not prepared ed the man. for all that! Did he question you! about me, my poor friend? Is that are chattering?"

why you are so dejected?" sigh and looked up at her, pleading in a great pother about it." as if he wished to be released from "Mata! It's for you!" he ex- off. some torment.

teeth, will never let go. I overheard young and so beautiful! It's not Shubin. dance and die."

simple statement! Why, of course, I adore you-give up these activities humoured her.

die?"

than any healthy person believes in Allies?" death.

"But you will die, Mata," he in- Dubois? sisted, trying to impress her with "Do you know what the English Rosanoff's eyes returned contempt. TO-MORROW-The Dangerous

searched in London?" she demanded. "They were surprised to find me so dignified! I used no gestures: I made no attempt to seduce them! They were amazed that I was not a gigging, little cocotte, without prains, without "breeding, I wno be broadcast to-day from the Hong come of a lineage that lived in Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. paraces when the English were on a wavelength of 355 metres grovelling in caves! And I am to (845 K.C.'s):-work for such people, indeed!"

"They are never tactiul, those English," murmured Shubin, who gramme. understood how her vanity had been hurt. "But the French-"

"Oh, the French! In France, they

She rose and warmed her hands at exotic dance. Later, he follows her plain that perfectly! The Prefect the fire, breathing quickly with the to a gambling casino where she had of Police supervises the theatres. vehemence which she was prepared

is told of the papers and promises prudes everywhere—and he came to and in whom I have had great faith, to get them from Shubin. Yielding see for himself. When a function- even you think nothing of playing to a whim, she permits Rosanoff to ary so important to one, for Le me false because what does it mat A Talk on "A History of Horticul- TSANG make love to her. But in the morn-could have banned the performance, ter?-I am only a woman. Very ture in Hong Kong" by Professor ing she is annoyed that she has invites one to lunch and drive-well, I shall know how to defend G. A. C. Herklots, D.Ph., B.Sc. myself against you in future."

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY says that you are always in the her, which had never failed to Brigg Fair-An English Rhapsody company of soldiers, especially avia- agonise him, now made him cry THE QUARREL WITH SHUBIN. tors. No sooner does one of these out: "But what is it I've done to men come to see you on leave, than you, Mata? I am repeating what

are attempting to pull the wool over Shubin, still it was advisable to be "I wouldn't attempt to explain my eyes, for you know very well tactful with him. He had given her that! There are no worthwhile men that I am aware that you have had

"No-no-I-" After a long pause, Shubin said when, in the depths of Russian You are so infernally jealous. But heavily, "I can't. No, I can't discuss those with you, Mata."

"I have already told you so much. "that I have had no opportunity to I have already dishonoured myself for your sake. Don't-don't," he

As if he could touch her! She

"Honour! Honour! To refuse a Songand henour quite simply, without names, man-fashion. "Are you favour to a friend who has trusted; to your friendship! That's honour, doing, she thought she could get! At this point the servant came in isn't it? To refuse aid to one to make the fire. They fell into a whom you profess to love? That's plane Solo-So Mata Hari had made Shubin silence, which was welcome to the love, isn't it?" she flung out at him feel that to be a traitor really re-dancer, at least, for it gave her time so passionately that he was too larity of her tete-a-tete with confused to protest against the Shubin. Seeing him so humbled, she gave sir," he reminded the latter, stand-Shubin was, of course, obvious. But

"You are a coward. You're afraid the vodka, she suggested a toast and well-connected but not under French for your skin, my friend, that's all rooms, and there will be instructions

"I am not thinking of myself." as to the hour of your departure." stood on diplomatic ground, Russian It was Shubin, after an, who pre-ground. Moreover, Dubois would said Shubin gloomi'y. "I am a lost cipitated their discussion. He told realise that Shubin was just a tool. man-a traitor. I shall shoot myher that he had had a visitor from Could it be that the French Secret self one day and my country will be however, Mata Hari reproached the Service was striking at her through well rid of me." Shubin, that he had been approach-

with finesse, she felt that she would some! To dismiss so abruptly such

simple as she had told Adriana. She her skirts, she did him the justice if the whole business had grown too "Shall I serve dinner now, sir?"

difference. "I rather expected some-protested the dancer. "My teeth are dessert course, she had, by means Aviator! Aviator! He would be thing was in the air. Dubois came chattering—and so are Monsieur of a little flattery, a little wine, a flying somewhere to-morrow then. skilful indifference, brought him. believe he had me followed to the Shubin took the hint and dismiss- almost to his customary state of submission. Now it only remained said, suddenly harsh, "though you An Old Time "Sing-Song" "What did you mean-my teeth to make him understand that the are so pat with assurances of your price of her favours was no light faithfulness. But the young man "I meant that you are a coward," one and she was in the midst of will be unavailable for the present, When she came over to him and she said briskly. "You have had a some cool manœuvring to that end, I am afraid. He is going back to patted his hand, Shubin gave a deep little chat with Dubois and you are when the servant, to her surprise Russia to-morrow." and amusement, announced Rosan-, Flying - to Russia - to-morrow. in the above European pro-

claimed, wounded. "It's because I "Ah, yes, there's a young man Shubin with his patent secrecy— the Anderson Music Co. "Mata! He is in earnest and that know what this will lead you to. To who would not leave Paris without his orders in Russian! grim buildog, once he has set his be shot as a spy, when one is so seeing you dance," remarked "A pity!" she murmured. "I am

him last night. He said, 'Some will good to think of. Trust me, Mata | She thereupon laughingly insist. Stung to the quick, Shubin re--take some advice from me-I am ed that of course the young man joined, "I know that you have no "Oh ... oh ... what drams in a much older than you, and besides I must be introduced and Shubin further feeling for me since I will

will dance and die. Don't we all which, in the end, will finish you. Thus it happened that Rosanoff demand. And supply you I will not. After all, Germany is not your made another formal bow to the I have sent the papers out of my But Shubin saw that she did not country. If you must have excite- dancer. He was silent, while Mata rooms. They are safe, from you. in the least believe this, any more ment, why not work for us-for the Hari, in a spirit of mischief, could To-morrow they will be in Russia. not refrain from murmuring. "But And my lips are forever sealed!" Was this another suggestion from the young man's face looks so "In that case," said Mata Hari, "I familiar!" -can go."

the seriousness of her position said when they had my effects for her insolence and for the famil-

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

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is charming young man! One of "Oh, well," she said at length, as your new secretaries-isn't he?" "No, no, Mata. That doesn't show

distasteful to pursue any further, your usual skill, my dear. That's "we may as well have our dinner, quite too obvious a question. Though as an aviator, the young By the time they had reached the man would no doubt interest you."

> "He does interest me." "I am ready to believe it." he

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Drinking Song, Follow Through-Selection,

9.40-10.08 p.m.—Operatic. Concertgebouw Orchestra

La Traviata-Ahi Fors'e Lui (Verdi), This was familiar ground and, "Really, Shubin, you are too tire-Rigoletto-Tutte le Feste (Verdi), A. M. Guglielmetti (Soprano)

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Boheme-O Mimi tu Piu Non Torni

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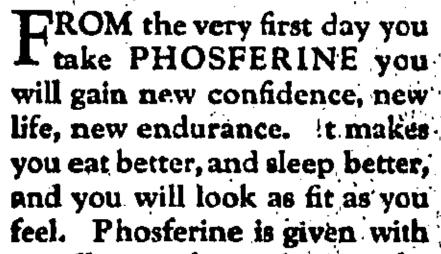
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Our Sports Diary.

LAWN TENNIS Open Singles -A. H. Harkins v. Yew Man-kit; Iu Tak-cheuk v. J. A. Cassumbhoy; M. K. Lo v. Y. Hachiuma; C. Fincher v. J. Barrow; Rumjahn v. Tau i Yan-pui; Open Doubles—G. W. Sewell and L. Wright v. Wong Fuk-nam and H. H. Ho; G. A. Noronha and L. A. da Rocha v. T. L. Iu and C. C. Luk; A. R. Minu and A. H. Madar v. W. T. Lee and D. C. Luk: C. F. Hyde and M. W. Turner v. A. V. Remedios and L. A. Ribeiro.

To-morrow. CRICKET-First Division-Indian R.C. v. Kowloon C.C. (L.); University v. Navy (L.); Craigengower C.C. v. Civil Service C.C. (F.); Second Division-Kowloon C.C. v. Indian R.C. (L.); Civil Service C.C. v. Craigengower C.C. (F.); Royal Engineers & Signals v. University (F.).

FOOTBALL -- First Division-Kowloon v Borderers: Navy v. St. Joseph's; Third Division-Royal Engineers v. Royal Air Force; Borderers v. Recreio. RACING-Annual Race Meeting, Happy Valley.

Sunday. FOOTBALL-Charity Match-Army v. Chinese at Caroline Hill at 480 p.m. GOLF-Final of Royal Hong Kong Golf Club Captain's Cup. HUNTING - Fanling Hunt Hounds Meet at Lokmachau at

ST. ANDREW'S LADIES BEAT H.K. RIVALS.

Odd Goal in Three at King's Park.

In a fast hockey encounter on the Diocesan Girls' School ground yesterday afternoon the St. An- the C.S.C.C. ground to-morrow:— for 105) and 216 for 6 wickets (dedrew's Club Ladies defeated the Hong Kong Ladies' Hockey Club Wood, C. H. G. Bradley, S. Randle, Victoria: 277 (Barnett 60) and Woolley and P. Gittins netted for the Saints, but Hong Kong creased the deficit through P. Harrop before the interval. the second half Hong Kong again scored through P. M. Harrop, after which the exchanges provided much excitement. P. Gittins scored the Saints third and winning

PRESTON DEFEAT STOKE CITY.

Home Football.

London, Yesterday. by two goals to nil.—Reuter. | Cup team.—(Reuter).

THE MACAO RACES.

ENTRIES FOR SPRING MEETING MARCH 13

Each Club was represented by For Winners and Placed Macao II: Golden Glory; Gold Standard; two couples who each played sets Subscription Ponies and ponies Indian Plain II; Lonesome Life; of eleven games with both pairs of that were classified by The Hong Pasha; Shawnee; Sterling Castle! the other Clubs, making the total Kong Jockey Club as D1 Class Sunny Day. possible score for a Club eighty-ponics at the end of December, The Eve Cup: One And A Quar-

51 | Leaf; Hsui Sui Woo; Jingo; Light- \$200. 3rd Prize, \$100. United Services Recreation Club. ship; Matsushima; New King; Adonis: Anniversary Eve; Mis. Lochner & Mrs. Marriott .22 Pure Music; Silver Key; Tai Ping Aurora; Ben Hur; But After That; Mrs. Majendie & Miss Pullun .23 Yang; The Slow Bird; Twilight. Calamity Jane; Friar Tuck; Gold 45 non-winning Subscription Griffins Manna; Patricia Hall; Retha;

Mrs. Martell-Hall & Mrs. Sayer 15 trance Fee, \$5. 1st Prize, \$350. The Macao Jockey Cup: Once

Gold Bar; Gold Cup; Ghost Train; Prize, \$75. Entrance Fee, \$5.

The Macao Derby: One And A Trigo. Half Miles. - For non-winning The Chairman's Cup: One Mile. Griffins of the Hong Kong Jockey |-- For non-winning Griffins of The Club of this Season. Weight for Hong Kong Jockey Club of this inches as per Scale. Entrance Fee, Season. Weight for inches as per \$20. 1st Prize, \$1,000. 2nd Prize, Scale. (Jockey Allowance). En-\$500. 3rd Prize, \$250. trance Fee, \$10. 1st Prize: A Cup

love; California; Cebu; Chateau 3rd Prize, \$100. Bay; Christmas Joy; Cupid; Dar- Ajax; Alexandra Hall; Amos; kest Eve; Devon; Esculado; Bluelove; Bowery Bay; Cebu; Festival Eve; Golden Star; Gold Chateau Bay; Christmas Joy; Mine; Iloilo; Jack; Just Imagine; Coquine; Cupid; Darkest Eve; Kate; Meridian Star; Merry Escutado; Festival Eve; Gold Mine; Thought; Michael Guy; Mon Talis- Iloilo; Indiana; Jack: Just man; Mystle Leaf; Navy Hall; Imagine; Kate; Maple Leaf; Merry Powhatan; Powerful King; Punch; Thought; Michael Guy; Mon Talis-Saturn; Snappy Eve; The Gadwall; man; Powerful King; Powhatan; The Shoveller; Toby; Tommy Boy; Punch; Saturn; Snappy Eve; The White Jade Stag; Winkie; Work- Gadwall; The Shoveller; Toby; able Stag.

For non-placed Macao Subscription Worry: Workable Stag.

The entries for the Spring Race ponies and ponies that were classi-Shield took place on February 25 Meeting of the Macao Jockey Club, fied by The Hong Kong Jockey on the courts of the U.S.R.C. and to be held on March 18 are given Club as D2 Class Fee, \$5. 1st on the courts of the U.S.R.C. and to be held on March 18, are given Prize, \$300. 2nd Prize, \$125. 3rd Prize, \$75.

Bedale Handicap: Once Round.—| Bright Eyes; Celerity; Choctow

eight games. The results were as 1931. Entrance Fee, \$5. 1st Prize, ter Miles.—For non-winning Aus-\$300. 2nd Prize, \$125. 3rd Prize, tralian Sub-griffins of The Hong |Kong Jockey Club of 1932. Weight Arminius; Bay of Belling- for inches as per Scale. (Jockey Mrs. Mackie & Mrs. C. C. Stark 21 Eyes; Country Club; Flor- 1st Prize: A Cup presented, with - notta; Genghis-Khan; Heliotrope \$400 added by the Club. 2nd Prize.

> Beaufort Plate: One Mile.—For Digger; Gold Rush; Koh-I-Noor; of The Hong Kong Jockey Club of Season Ticket; Senorita; Sunlight; 1932. Weight for inches as per The Rainbow; The Widgeon:

2nd Prize, \$125. 3rd Prize, \$75. If Round.—For Sub-Griffins of The 36 entries for this Race are found to Hong Kong Jockey Club of any make the field unwieldy, the entries Season. Weight for inches as per tested for on sixteen occasions and will be divided into two Races. |Scale. For Jockeys who have not Amon: Banjolina; Buchanan; won more than 10 Races. Jockeys Diplodocus; Fighting Blood; Fire- 2 lb penalty for each win, but limit fly; Friar John; Gallant Fox; of 10 lb. 1st Prize: A Cup with Gamester; Gay Fox; Golden Arrow; \$300 added. 2nd Prize, \$125. 3rd

Highjink; Hosordy; Huggo; Jim- Amon; Banjolina; Bridge Hall; my; Jupiter; Malakit; Mausie; Brown Eyes; Gallant Fox; Ghost Mistletoe; Pathfinder; Public, Train; Golden Arrow; Good Day; Money; Silvery Eve; Speedy; Sun- Jupiter; Malakit; Misamis; Pathbeau; The Curlew; The Rainstorm; finder; Shanghai Beau; Silvery The Wanderer; Trigo; Tulla; Eve; Sonny Boy; Speedy; Tango; Valeta; Valley Hall; Warsaw Stag. The Rainstorm; The Wanderer;

Ajax; Amos; Army Hall; Blue- with \$400 added. 2nd Prize, \$200.

Tommy Boy; Venus; Wembly Stag: Belvoir Stakes: Once Round .- White Jade Stag; Winike; Why

CIVIL SERVICE **JUNIORS.**

League Match Against Craigengower.

The match between the Civil Service C.C. 1st XI. and the Craig-

The following will represent the against the Craigengower C.C. on not out, Benstead 82; A'Beckett 4 H. E. Strange (captain), A. E. clared) (Sides 56 not out). A. W. Grimmett, W. H. Edmonds, 304 (Ryder 71, Oakley 88, A'Beckett N. Belbington, J. F. McGowan, 55, Gilbert 5 for 67). de- R. H. Woodman, T. Armstrong,

PERKINS NOW INELIGIBLE.

Becomes American Citizen.

A great golfer has been lost to round contest to-day. England by the decision of Phil Guhring eventually gave up the

QUEENSLAND WIN BY 139 RUNS.

Victoria's Defeat in Sheffield Shield.

London, February 1. In the Sheffield match at Brisengower 1st XI. has been cancel- bane, Queensland beat Victoria by led.

Scores:--Civil Service C.C. second eleven Queensland: 504 (Oxenham 162)

CARNERA BEATS GERMAN.

Opponent Forced to Retire.

Berlin, February 5. Carners soundly thrashed the New York, February 5. German, Ernst Guhring, in a ten-

Perkins, the former British light in the fifth round owing to In the Second Division of the Amateur-Champion, to become an an injured foot. Guhring would English League Preston North American citizen. Ho will thus not almost certainly have been knock-End at home defeated Stoke City be available for the British Walker ed out had the fight continued. (Reuter).

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A WHOLE WEEK'S NEWSPAPERS IN ONE.

In Admiralty Jurisdiction on February 19, the Chief Justice gave judgment against the Nippon Yusen kaisha, on caim and counter-caim, involving over \$80,000, arising out of a comsion in Hong Kong harbour in March, 1931, between the Japanese s.s. Toyooka Maru and the China Navigation Company's steamer Kiangsu. His Lordship said he had no hesitation in saying that the main cause, at least, of the collision was the action of the Toyooka Maru in going across the fairway into fog. He had also come to the conclusion that the Japanese ship could have avoided a collision by dropping her anchor. A full text of the finding is published in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

The Annual Race Meeting opened at Happy Valley on February 20, in brilliant weather. Times were fast and the turf was in perfect condition. However, it rained on the fourth day, but that did not in any way dampen the enthusiasm of racegoers. The Ladies' Purse was won by Mr. Y. S. Chang, his mount being King's Bounty, the favourite for the event. Several record times were broken, Doctor's Mandate doing exceptionally well in that line, lowering a record on the second day, and then beating his own record the following day! Dividends were fairly high, the biggest being \$551, for second place, and \$434 for third place. Liberty Bay (Mr. Hill up) won the Derby in a common canter. The lucky winner of the Derby first prize, \$12,000 odd, was a Chinese man. A full report of the meeting is chronicled in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

The China-Japan war is still raging, in spite of what the Powers are endeavouring to do to restore peace. Reports of a big Chinese victory over the Japanese was current in Hong Koisz on February 23, and soon every Chinese citizen was celebrating the good news. Crackers were fired all over the place, and the streets were littered with red paper. Latest movements of troops in the war zone, and the grave situation in Shanghai are dealt with fully in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

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RACE HANDICAPS

The handicaps for the non- 158; Toby, 158; Tommy Boy, 158; winning ponies which will be out at | Venus, 161; White Heather, 161; the last day of the Annual Race Meeting at Happy Valley to-morrow | cap, A Class, from the 2-mile post are as follows:--

Festival Eve, 140; Gold Ring, 160; Nippy, 140; Paul Pry, 140; Pepper-140; Navy Hall, 154; Powhatan Valorous, 147; Wisdom Stag, 145; 152; Snappy Eve, 150; Tontine, 152; Wonderful Stag, 140. Wembley Stag, 150; White Jade Stag, 150.

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Winkie, 158.

The Happy Valley Spring Handlonce round and in - Adam, 140; The Griffins Spring Handicap, A Bag and Baggage, 148; Boxing Eve, Class, One Mile.—Alexandra Hall 147; Coronation Eve, 165; Daylight 155; Army Hall, 152; Blue Love, Eve, 140; Eros, 140; Fortune Bay, 140; Blue Star, 165; Bowery Bay, 147; Gold Key, 152; King's Colour, 152; Deveron, 158; Don, 152; 140; King's Service, 140; Mike 140; Iloilo, 140; Indiana, 150; Kate, 140; mint, 140; Royal Flush, 140; The King's Parade, 156; Michael Guy, Tiger, 140; Tiana, 140; Tom, 140;

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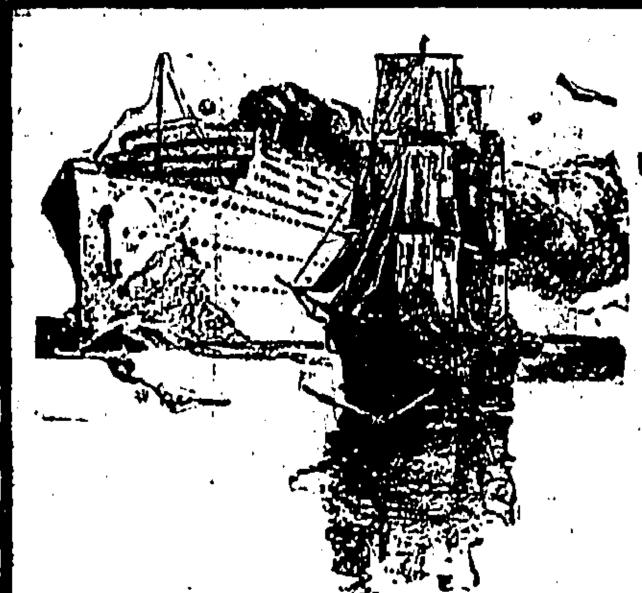
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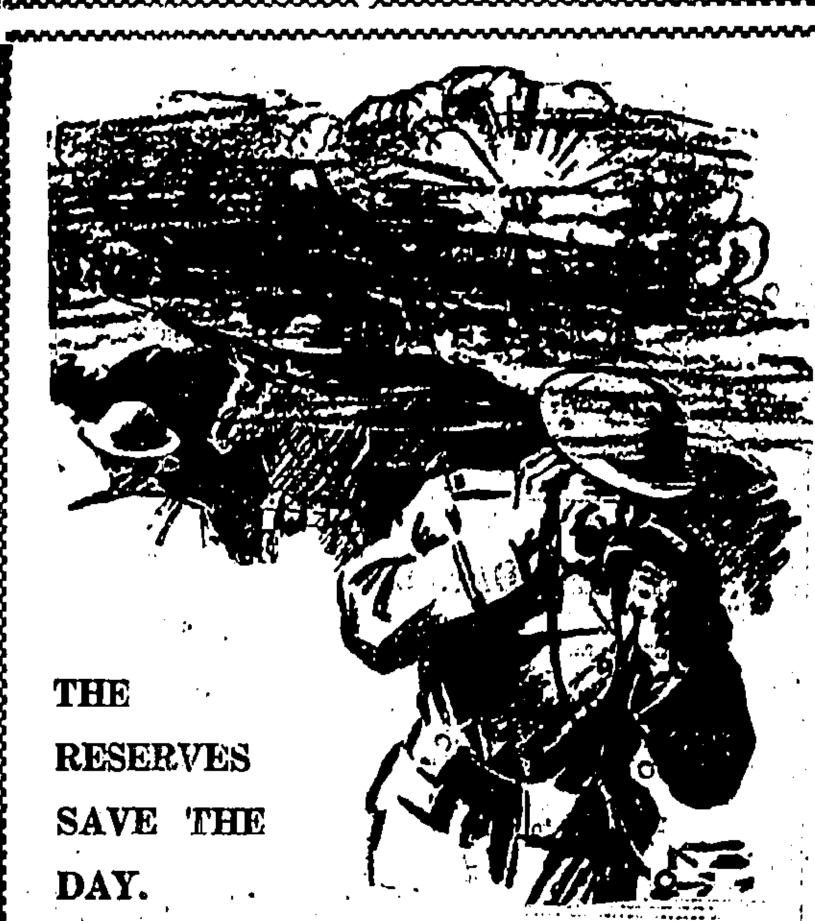
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The Rev. Mother Superior and her staff desire to thank the Rev. Fathers and Sisters and friends gestures which, by their familiarfor the many kind expressions of sympathy in their recent bereavement also for the floral tributes and attendance at the Funeral of sian Institute).

The China Mail.

Hong Kong, Friday, Feb. 26, 1932.

Mr. Stimson's Letter.

other Power's attitude to the been in the United States. greatly to be deplored events in the Far East, that it will not surprise us, if, after the ripples, Japan it may be referred to as shore and there spent themselves, the declaration, and its implications, will be forgotten they were before but from bad to worse.

vague future, is concerted action substitute for a war of aggression, which has in it a potential cessation of hostilities, a confervail over Might.

Mr. Stimson's detter to Senstor Borah has been described as nouncements of United States' may also be, as is hinted in a behalf of which Mr. Stimson has of Master of Ceremonics. cable published this morning, a made an important pronounce-"lever to induce closer co-operament" of policy, is making less
tion with the United States in effective League authority and
the Far East" by holding out embarrassing its work for civilin the Helena May Institute on buked by Mrs. Randal. "She was that he was no longer a memMonday Manch 7 to Kan Landal. "She was that he was no longer a memthreats of a naval huilding pro- isation as a whole

regarded as one of those many ity to-day, are coming to be regarded as contemptible.

It is only to be expected that Rev. Sr. Enrica Adamoli (Canos- in Japanese circles the letter should be described as a "grave mistake" and "calculated to do more harm than good." Indeed, we expect descriptions, generalnature in the Japanese press as Wednesday night. a whole. What reception the European press gives the letter and was attended by a large num-stairs. "Ah reckon as yo'll be bed. "If hoo'd known as Mrs. So many notes and so many will be disclosed shortly.

pronouncements have been made it will surprise us if the receptall the different institution. in regard to this, that and antition is as remarkable as it has

caused by the latest stone (in Powers-Britain and France are were and noticed: the What is wanted to-day, and tor as the League Council and Mr. Mose. not at some indefinite date in a the authority of the League, Mr. and Mrs. Vannini, Mr. and which Britain has pledged her- Mrs. De Diongi, Drs. Ma Luk by the Powers of the world, be self to support. There seems to Wong, Ma and Koh, Mr. U. Gonella, they signatories to this part, us more at stake, in so far as Mr. and Mrs. Mose, Miss Murray, treaty covenant or what also to the Canossa treaty, covenant or what else, to the League is concerned, than Hospital. any sucillary treaty however important such a treaty may be threat to civilisation, a peace, a to any one individual Power. If the United States supported the Lowest open air temperature ence at which Right shall pre- League, as vigorously, as Mr. 10 a.m. was 54, and at 4 p.m. 51. Stimson would have liked and wants Britain and France to sup H.M.S. Berwick arrived from hoo wor theer afore the doctor, port his defence of the Nine is now lying at the No. 6 buoy in into summat like a nose when he "one of the most important pro- Power Treaty, the greater would the Naval anchorage. be, and would have been, the re policy in the past ten years," sults of League action, By also as "masterly," "a slashing keeping aloof from this body, West Wing lounge of the Y.M.C.A. an she said, Td be quare if 'Ah rebuttal of Mr. Yoshizawa's which owes so much of its exist-building last night. Dance music hadn't."

As to the threat of a re-start of miles in its ultimate effect on the people of the world as a whole.

But, for all it may be, if it chased by the United States, is not quickened with action, of the character already indicated, fortunate in connection-with it. Haverford College.

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ROUND THE POLICE COURTS.

And Theft.

Chan Cheung-nam, a shroff of the Mercantile Bank, appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones yesterday afternoon on charges of conspiracy " to rob \$6,828.85, and of theft from the person of the complainant, a Mrs. Greenhalgh wiped her Ah said Thank yo' hoo said retired Chinese merchant from steaming hands and gently open- Stop thi mouth or Ah'll stop it America, of \$6,825. Detective-ed the door of the bedroom. for thee, an' hoo'd goo whoam

on a charge of the theft of two plain and no fuss." "That's what love for childer. Yo' never did hair ornaments, valued at \$50. Ah thowt," said Mrs. Randal; see her pattin' one on th' head, or was sentenced to six months' hard Greenhalgh; "Ah've mopped th' an' a day wi' Bill Wood's child birch. A Chinese, employed as a all han to do eawr bit at times Randal. "He, towd me 'Yon ing a woman.

said Mrs. Randal. Stephen Rovensky, a young RusThe tiny room at the top of "They worn't allus gentle," sian, who previously came to Hong the cottage stairs was almost said Mrs. Greenhalgh. "Do young Russian, who previously came to Hong the cottage stairs was almost said Mrs. Greenhalgh. Kong on a pilgrimage then to oppressive with the fragrance of remember that Sunday morning Palestine, was brought before Mr. lilies. The two women had when thoose three Irishmen Wynne-Jones charged with enter- cleaned the place through, and coom striding up an' down this

of \$25 or three weeks' jail on of the day, and in the gloom the jowed t'other two their yeds. and weighted with sincerity of Gulam Mohamed, a watchman, chamber seemed strangely An' they took it like sugar purpose, it can only finally be who, pleaded guilty to the possession of a quantity of tobacco or

LAID TO REST. Rev. Sr. Enrica Adamoli.

from heart failure, of the Mrs. Greenhalgh; "proud, an for once a lie's started yo never Rev. Sr. Enrica Adamoli (Canos- hard, an' full o' pluck." "There know where it'll get to before it. sian Institute) which occur-wor nowt as freetened her," finishes. Them's my principles ly speaking, are of a less polite red at the Canossa Hospital on said Mrs. Randal. "There wor an', yo con tak' 'em or leave 'em.

But ber of friends and the staff from here, again first thing in the Roe wor here hoo'd has turned morning," said Mrs. Greenhalgh. her back on the lot of us."

M.A., in the absence of Bishop H. body'll ha' to be here. Hoo Greenhalgh. "Hoo'll be on th' Valtorita, officiated at the grave doesn't seem to have a soul be- front row at th' buryin', but It is said to be an "open side, assisted by the Rev. Fathers longing to her. But hoo's left when summat wants doin' Mrs. sccret" that Mr. Stimson is dis- of the Roman Catholic Cathedral. everything as hoo wanted it. Among those present to pay Money for this an' money for appointed at the failure of the their respects to the deceased that. Hoo's left th' pay for what Randal, "as we should put one o" Salesian we've been doing this afternoon, especially indicted—to support Fathers, Fathers of the French hoo wor that feeared o' being a "brick") cast by the hand of vigorously his defences of the Procuration, Spanish Fathers, Jesuit behowdened to onybody when "Hoo wor happiest when hoo had Mr. Stimson, have rippled to the Nine Power Treaty. That is all Christian Brothers, the Sisters of it in flowers," said Mrs. Green- rag to tee up a cut finger, or a very well from Mr. Stimson's St. Paul's Institution, Sisters of the halgh. "An' me too," said Mrs. basin o' gruel, or a fistful o' point of view, but the Nine Precious Blood, Maryknoll Sisters, Randal; "we con be independent reight hard wark. Hoo wor a Power Treaty, in and with which Sisters of the Immaculate Conceptoo. and things go on, not just as Mr. Stimson is so deeply inter- Italian Consul, Dr. Pfister, Hon. came early and spread news we put her away wi'out ony fuss, ested and concerned, is not, in Mr. Braga, Mr. F. X. D'Almada e papers on the stairs, and made that'll suit her." Jour opinion, so important a fac- Castro, Mr. Gonella, Mr. Vannini.

News in Brief.

Rangal. "She did not," said

"Ah remember," said Mrs."

Kenyon, "when Jack Benson fell

drunk out of the back of his trap

Mrs. Mee.

and split his nose fro' top to tip Shanghai at 6.45 this, morning and an had it washed and plastered come. He says, Did it, make

A highly successful lancy dress at him scornful. He says, feeble contention," and even as ence to an United States Presimay be all these and more. It of that day, the Government, on Social Committee, fulfilled the duties

Monday, March 7 at 5.80 p.m. Tea teckoned mowt to that sooart of ber as he had been expelled from

Bank Shroff On Trial-Robbery

from a Chinese woman in Queen's "hoo were a hard woman." cuttin' it a butty." Road West, an unemployed seaman "Hoo wor that," said Mrs. labour with 20 strokes of the stairs fro top to bottom." "We when it wor bad," said Mrs. cook aboard the s.s. Paul Beau, like these," said Mrs. Randal. woman's made o' cast-iron, hoo's was commended by the Magistrate "They'n collected six an' ten- moan human — but eavr little for his action in having brought pence hawpenny fro th' neigh- Rachel wouldn't a bin here but a criminal to justice and protect- hours," said Mrs. Greenhalgh; for her. Hoo could be that

Russian Pilgrim. ing the Colony without a valid Mrs. Randal had arranged the street wanting to feight th' best passport.

Watchman's Lapse.

which duty had not been paid.

at the Roman Catholic Cemetery, them and went softly down the Mrs. Randal pointed to the

HARD WOMAN

HER SOLDIERLY LYING -IN - STATE.

"She Wor Towf."

By T. Thompson.

America, of \$6,825. DetectiveSergeant D. C. W. Fitches prosecuted, whilst Mr. A. E. Hall was for
the defendant. After hearing evidence his Weiship adjourned the
case.

Cook Commended.

Appearing before Mr. Schofield

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Appearing of the theft of two

"Hoo stopped up two neets "flowers are middlin' chep just gentle — it looks impossible for now." "Ah reckon they are," them greight gaunt honds to

have so gentle a touch." scantily furnished bedroom to mon in it? It seems they'd bin. her own conception of what was havin" a bit of a do th' neet befitting. The curtained window fore. Hoo just went out to 'em, Mr. Wynne-Jones imposed a fine spared little of the dying light slapped one across the chops, an'

beautiful. The small dressing candy." table held two brass candlesticks "What Ah says about her is," flanked with old-fashioned jugs said Mrs. Roe, "an' if Ah cannot containing flowers. It did look say summat good about onybody something like an altar. The Ah keeps mi thrap shut, an two women stood in silhouette there's a lot o' foosk in these beside the bed. Mrs. Randal days as like to toot about an' find lifted the napkin. "Th' neigh owt wrong if they can, but Ah'm bours'll want to see her in th' noan one o' that socart, thank We regret to learn of the death like hoo's allus looked," said is Ah keeps 'em in their place, Vednesday night.

In that," said Mrs. Greenhalgh. Ah mun get back now an' put th' The funeral took place yesterday They closed the door behind kettle on."

The Very Rev. Father Spada "Aye," said Mrs. Randal; "some- "Tatlin' Matty," said Mrs.

Roe's not theer." "Dosta think," asked Mrs.

them flowers in her hond?" "Naw." said Mrs. Greenhalgh The next morning Mrs. Randal noan for ony mee-mawin. If

a gangway with them round the Mrs. Randal lifted the napkin. bed. As soon as it was decently "They're not folk as onybody time the neighbours came in to con tak' to straight away," she pay their tribute. Mrs. Green-said. "but God knows just what halgh, and Mrs., Randal received He's doin' when He dots one here them as was their due, having an one theer just wheer done the work. "It wor strange," they're wanted. Everybody's said Mrs. Mee, "her being a hard trouble knocked on her door." woman, how everybody fetched. "She wor towf." said Mrs. her in time of trouble." "She Greenhalgh. — Manchester Guarnever failed onybody," said Mrs. dian.

Ten Years Ago

[From the "China, Mail" of February 26, 1922.1

To-day's you sick?" an' she just grinned 2/4.13/16.

A Chinese was charged before-Magistrate Wood on Saturday with They dribbled in at intervals having been a member of the Tung and gazed at the proud face Tek Coolies Guild which was returned resolutely towards the cently declared to be an unlawful colling, a solidierly lying in society by the Government in constate. There was no call, for sequence of its participation in the tears and there were few shed, strike. The defendant was arrestTALKIE TALKS

Diane

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THE--VISIT RICHARD OF BARTHELMESS

A NEW BRITISH FIND.

Richard Cromwell Will Astonish In "To'l'able David."

RICHARD BARTHELMESS, whose does not like animals. work on the screen has pleased and | The war in Shanghai has upset on March 1. thrilled millions for fifteen years. plans a bit, but he and his wife, a It was also decided to enlarge torney-General said: "Tol'able David, "The Enchanted imagine possess a keen sense of to join the Society. Cottage," "Patent-leather Kid," humour. Who will forget that A committee was appointed, had been made on behalf of many "The Noose"-Yes, I can go back all ironic twist to his mouth? He re- consisting of the following mem- Chinese by the Hon. Dr. Kotewall. those years. And I find but one gretted that the rain might spoil his bers:--Star who has never let a picture visit, but he likes to see things from Hon. Conductor, Mr. F. Mason; tion that the Estate Duty Commisdown. There was a time when the all aspects. stories were poor. Admitted, but He started work as an extra in H. C. Leong; Hon. Librarian, Mrs. clause clearer. The Committee that was not the fault of the star. ["War Brides" with Nazimova, and G. W. R. Griggs; Committee, Mrs. He has always given of his best. made a name for himself. It was G. W. R. Griggs, Mrs. M. He survived that critical period, whilst travelling to Europe, in 1926, Arnold and Mr. E. O. Schroter. when others fell by the way, and that he met his present wife. now we have memories of "Sons of the Gods." "Drag," Nowheres," "Weary River," "Dawn said to be one of the best of its more players. Patrol," and so on, down a long kind, is showing at the (Queen's). The annual subscription was fixlist, which contains few poor pic- The next change is "Guilty Hands," ed at \$5. tures, and mostly great ones. I with magnificent acting by say, emphatically, that Richard | Lionel Barrymore. Years ago I saw Barthelmess is incapable of Inferior | this man in Ibanez's "Enemies of work. Why has this star succeeded | Women," and I thought then, that when and where others have failed? I he ranked far above his more Because, with him, the story comes famous brother John. He did not first, and he gives full share of | think so, nor did the world, and so honours to the director and the cast. he was lost behind a megaphone till! Again, he has never been afraid to rFree Soul' showed that he is now surround himself with first-rate | the King of the Royal Family of players. Take "Dawn Patrol." He Broadway. In this picture by sacrificed himself to the other men, Bayard Veiller, we see a murder Fairbanks (jun.) and Neil Hamil- mystery, and there are thrills ton, but yet he remained the out- galore. Kny Francis is second only standing figure. Is it just good to the star, and Madge Evans is deluck that has kept him a world lightful. Miss a Lionel Barrymore favourite all these years? Or is it picture now, at your peril his personality? I think it is most-[(Queen's). ly the plain unvarnished truth, that he is a great actor, a good business ! man, and the lucky possessor of which is another adventure of the superior intelligence, combined with shady lady, Cherry Melnotte, with a fund of knowledge of this indus- a grand performance turned in by try from its earliest days, through Evelyn Brent, not over-shadowing mind she is the worst dressed Pari- The Colonial Secretary second- Therefore, their religion actualall its stages, to the almost perfect the work of the late Louis Wolheim, sienne I have ever seen on ed and the Bill was read a first by did not exercise any uplifting condition in which we now find it. Joel McCren shows signs of being the stage, but who am I to quibble time. When he comes to a halt as an new to pictures, but he is a likeable about such trifles? She is adored in The following Bills passed other religions. Their belief was actor, I prophesy that he will make hero, and Jean Arthur goes on im- London. Tom Walls makes up for through their final stages:as great a director, and I want proving. It is well acted through lack of good looks, by being perfect. "A Bill to amend the Po Leung | nature and also the creative power. to see that famous name for years out, with magnificent photography. ly natural: The others help things Kuk Incorporation Ordinance, to come. He ranks among the (Queen's). "First Big Six" in pictures, and First National pay him the tidy sum of \$500,000 a year for two pic- had the temerity to smoke, drink need to say that he gives his usual With regard to "A Bill to amend and also very intelligent. In New tures, and the privilege of choosing and ent under water—the never-to-twist to the end of the story, the Foreshores and Sea Bed Or- Zealand they were now recognised his own stories.

Repulse Bay hard to equal anywhere is strong drama. (King's). in the world. He does not like shopping, as a rule, but the native On March 2 there will be four Spethe first great David (Richard Barcurio shops have fascinated him. cial Shows in Aid of the Chinese thelmess) was really pleased with He hopes to go to Canton before Refugees (at the King's Theatre) this unknown lad's performance, theme of many a romantic tale, horseshoe nail, a fibre mapkin ring, leaving for Saigon, and continue thanks to the courtesy of the The young actor gives a sincere, has been found in the heart of leisurely homeward via Suez, to generous managment. At 2.30 natural, artless performance. Noah Portland and during the time of start work in April.

of Europe are as, an open book to (King's). him. He delights to motor in the Austrian Tyrol; to climb in Switzer-! nothing to beat sailing. And he histories -- (sometimes, too, his (King's). enormous "fan" mail. He never attends premieres, if he can avoid it:

I told him that we could not exactly be blamed because we are
thrilled to meet him Great stars
do not drop in on a syring trom
Canaries Sometimes Sing married (for the first time) shifted do not drop in one of the first time) shifted do not drop in one of the first time) shifted do not drop in one of the first time) shifted do not drop in one of the first time) shifted do not drop in one of the first time) shifted do not drop in one of the first time) shifted do not drop in the same single, and took the same single, and the sa

everything pales into insignificance two at home in California. And should be held every Tuesday the Committee, and was approved by the fact that we have in our how he adores them! Also, he evening, at 8.30 p.m., at the St. by the meeting. It substituted the midst to-day one of the greatest thinks, as I do, that there is some- John's Cathedral Hall, kindly plac- earlier Bill which had been read luminaries of that industry— thing wrong with the person who ed at their disposal by the Dean: a first and second time.

"The Silver Horde" by Rex Beach,

be-forgotten Annette Kellerman. (King's.) And now to the man himself. I Now local audiences are being treat-Chinese ponies race at Happy Raymond is likely to make the thrilling as before. (Central.) Valley. He is thrilled with this feminine hearts flutter. If you like lovely city, and thinks the drive to this type of story it will appeal. It Richard Cromwell will astonish

McLaglen in "Seas Beneath," Beery, and Joan Peers are in the those who buried it. No expedit the high school boys and girls who a climate that is Summer all the "Smiling Lieutenant," 7.20 "Wo-doing their best, and the Talkie No musty map guided its disyear round, so he travels extensively men, of all Nations," and at version, though not on a par with coverers to the spot where it lay in between pictures. The capitals 9.30 the British picture "Plunder", the original, is well worth seeing enmeshed in the roots of a pine

land and Bavaria, to walk in the with Marian Davies in one of her ing signs that she has studied voice plans for reunion, of old friends Black Forest, or the Canadian best comedies to date. "Bachelor culture while absent from the and renewal of acquaintanceship. Har away from Portlandi-Chris-Woods; and to fish off Florida or Father" and "Harmony Heaven" screen, returns in the Age for The discoverer was a steam tian Science Monitor. Bermuda. But he says there is are coming next week to the Star. Love." Charles Sturrett, Lois Wil-shovel which is making the excava-

owns a beautiful yacht. Golf leaves Charming simplicity and Ruth a bright evening s' entertainment seum on land which 50 years ago him cold, but he plays a great deal Chatterton's acting are sufficient to (Central,) of tennis, and is keen on football, justify "Once A Lady." The story but not baseball. He rides a great is an old one, but Miss Chatterton deal and reads only biographies and has never looked more beautiful.

and is the last person who seeks. Albert Gran give us comedy of a ast performance of her career in One box, decomposed by under an open bank, at baccaret to self-advertisement. I find him most burlesque order in "The Command Mata Hard, and will stay in pic ground moisture and broken by the raised the minimum stakes from unassuming, and unostentiations.

Performance." It is check-full of tures. Rumning states also has pressure of roots, fell apart, when 22 los to se.

LOCAL MUSICIANS.

Meeting Decides to Recommence Activities

OF ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY.

A meeting which was attended Hong Kong Orchestral Society. Mr. F. Mason presided and a

From a picture point of view, only talk of the children. He has it was decided that rehearsals ated amendments recommended by The first rehearsal is to be held | Speaking with regard to this

I have seen him in all manner of charming woman, are glad to have the scope of the Society, which picture-houses in every quarter of the opportunity of staying at the was originally formed as a string recommended certain hypographithe globe. I remember "Broken Repulse Bay Hotel for a week. He orchestra, and invite players of cal changes and also the re-print-Blossoms," "Way Down East," is a grand listener, and I should any instrument, string and wind, ing of clause 21 of the Bill to

Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. sioner requires and makes the Mr. Mason appealed for more

members, and suggested that those "Young A British Drama, "The Rosary," present canvass personally for read a second time. It has been

HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Annual Meeting on Saturday.

Shareholders are that to-morrow meeting will take place at the Hon. Attorney-General said:-Head Office, No. 1, Queen's Road

along, and the dialogue is spark- 1893." I remember the first woman who Frederick Lonsdale, there is no Temples Ordinance, 1928."

had heard that he hated interviews ed to these same astounding feats "Turzan the Tiger," far-fetched should not be taken yesterday. before lunch time, and that it was by the World champion Legless and all as it is, has a certain apasking the impossible to make him Wonder, "Zimmy," who shows us neal. We shall have the pleasure talk about himself. I assure you how to overcome a terrible handleap, of the old serials again, and Nathat he is one of the most courteous, With this attraction we have a talie Kingston, Frank Merrill and thoughtful and considerate of men. rather sordid drama, "Ladies of the Al Ferguson will carry on for eight; I interviewed him, and it all hap- Big House," in which Sylvia Sydney chapters. It is now recorded in pened before he went off to see the covers herself with glory, and Gene; sound and Universal has made it as

> you in "Tol'able David," and, on the best authority, rumour has it that (Central).

Bed and Breakfast" (British) Billie Dove, the bedutedus, show-swiftly and to bring in its wake son and Mary Duncan will give you tion for the new Portland Art Mu-

HOLLYWOOD GOSSIP.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Estate Duty Bill Now Law.

REFORMATORY SCHOOLS.

Referred to the Standing Law by a number of local musicians Committee in consequence of Chinwas held at the offices of Messrs. ese representatives, withe Estate evening, for the purpose of recom- Duty Bill was presented in a remencing the activities of the drafted and re-printed form at yesterday afternoon's meeting of feature of the meeting was the en- the Legislative Council. The Bill. thusiasm of those who attended as presented yesterday, incorpor-

Bill, in committee, the Hon. At-

The Standing Law Committee meet the representations which The re-draft gives all the protecrecommended that the Bill, with the amendments recommended by them, should be reprinted according to the Standing Orders, and substituted for the Bill which was reprinted with those amendments, and copies are in the hands of all members. I therefore move that this Bill be substituted for the in accordance with Standing

Orders. The Colonial Secretary seconded and the Council went into Committee to consider the Bill clause by clause.

It passed through Committee speaker drew a comparison bewithout material amendment, was read a third time and passed.

The Other Bills.

(Saturday, new Bill, intituled "An Ordinance believe in the practice of worship, February 27) at 11.30 o clock in to provide for and regulate Indus- but tried to appease or propitiate the forenoon the Bank's annual trial and Reformatory Schools the their Gods, hence the natural out-

the Straits Settlements Ordinance. or lower heaven.

ling. When you see who wrote it, "A Bill to amend the Chinese They were not over-honest, but"

dinance," the Attorney-General as equal to the white men, and moved that the second reading enjoyed practically the same pri-

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THE MAORIS.

Their Religious Beliefs Discussed.

Mr. M. Manuk gave a very interesting address on "The Religious Beliefs of the Maoris of New Zealand" at a meeting of the Bill which was read a second time, Theosophical Society last evening. After speaking of religion as the keynote of one's physiological study, because religions and religious beliefs subconsciously exercised a great deal of influence on the life of the individual, the tween the beliefs of the Maoris ? and other religions. The Maoris believed in twelve heavenly conditions, the highest of which was Moving the first reading of a the supreme God. They did not come was fear. Besides believing This Bill repeals the Reforma- in the eternal God, they believed tory Schools Ordinance, 1901, and that man had a "vital principlesubstitutes new provisions closely a soul," and a spirit, which after modelled on the English law and death went either to the highest

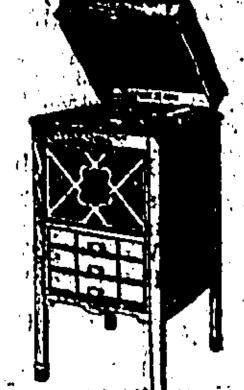
> influence as did the Christian and really a worship of the powers of

As a race the Maoris were very superstitious in their beliefs." were patriotic and very chivalrous, vileges.

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50 Years Ago.

tree. But treasura, mone the less, was the site of the old Portland High School. The treasure chests are metal boxes and tubes, buried by high school graduating classes 50

Portland, Ore. Buried treasure, miniature horseshoe, a full-sized several old coins and accopy of a newspaper, dated Dec. 28, 1884.

Mr. Barthelmess does not favour 5.10 Maurice Chevalier in large cast of supporting player, all tion of explorers, unearthed it. placed it there, and stirring golden memories now in those same breasts. Valuable because the unearthed boxes will be the inspiration for a semi-centennial reof a variety to set hearts beating union of members of the class of 1884, which is expected to bring back many whose homes are now

Gamblers at the big table of one (King's).

There are just two items of inter- years, ago beneath the trees they of the casinos in Nice have gone on planted. Valuables and prizes of strike owing to a rise in prices.

Neff Hamilton, Una Merkel and Gretz Garbo has given the great- youthful days were placed therein. Recently the banker, who runs Albert Gran give in corneds of the casinos in Nice have gone on planted. Valuables and prizes of strike owing to a rise in prices. Recently the banker, who runs vi

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graph Co.'s office.

Hotel, Room 201, from Torino. Precious, from Singapore. Lieut. Prior, Royal Artillery, Kowloon, from Innerleithen. Savile, P. & O. S.N. & Co., from London.

Joseph Waine, from Perthpows C. C. CLARKE, Manager. Meeting.

Hong Kong, February 25, 1932.

The following unclaimed tele-

grams are lying at the office of the Great Northern Telegraph issued on application to the Secret-Company (Limited) of Den Bry, 8rd Floor, Gloucester Building. mark:-C. F. Judd, from Shanghai.

Mrs. Jaffe, from Shanghai. F. V. JENSEN,

Superintendent. Hong Kong, February 24, 1982.

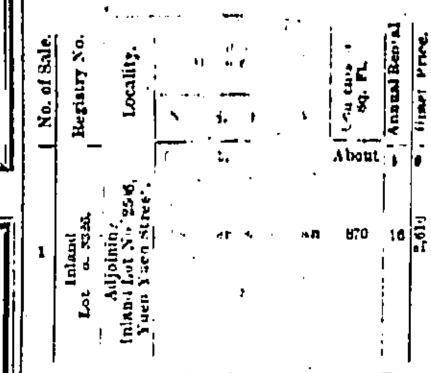


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GOVERNMENT

PUBLIC AUCTION.

Kong, for a term of 75 December, 1931. years, with the option of renewal



SPORTS NOTICES.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING, 1932

20th, 22nd, 23rd, 24th and 27th

February, 1932.

N SATURDAY 20th, MONDAY 22nd, TUESDAY 23rd, and days inclusive. WEDNESDAY 24th February, the of cartoons depicting "Happenings" on first bell will be rung at 11 a.m., the China Coast. Price \$1, on sale and the first race will be run at at the "China Mail" offices, SA, Wynd- 11.30 a.m. On Saturday, the 27th February, the first bell will be rung at 1 p.m., and the first race will be

The tiffin interval will be taken

MEMBERS' BADGES AND **ENCLOSURE**

Members are reminded that they and their ladies must wear their badges prominently displayed.

No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclo-

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Badges admitting to Members'

A limited number of Tiffins will be obtainable each day at the Club House, provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy, Telephone No. 21920. On no pretext will children be

permitted in either enclosure during the first four days of the Meeting. PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

Public Enclosure is \$4.00 per day cluding ladies, and is payable at the the Office of Messrs. Jardine, G. Guasco, c/o St. Francis

will not be permitted to operate 1931.

within the precincts of The Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Company will be CLOSED from

Restaurant in the Public Enclosure. 1932, both days, inclusive, SERVANTS' PASSES. Passes for Servants will be

Employers are requested to distribute them with discrimination and to endorse their names on the

Bervants are not permitted in the Members Enclosure except for passing through on their duties, but must remain in their employers' stands. Any persons found loitering with

Servants, passes in their possession will forfest the same and will be removed from the enclosure By Order,

C. B. BROWN, Secretary. Henr Kong, 8th February, 1932.

COMPANY MEETINGS ===

HONG KONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEAR-LY MEETING of the Shareholders

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT. February, 1932 (both days inclu- Auditors. sive), during which period no transfer of shares can be register- Company will be closed from days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

V. M. GRAYBURN, Chief Manager. Hong Kong, 8th February, 1932.

HUMPHREYS' ESTATE & FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Hong Kong Hotel, Hong Kong, on MONDAY, TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN the 29th February, 1932, at 11.89 a.m. for the purpose of receiving eral Meeting of the Members of the Report of the Directors to- The Hong Kong and Shanghai gether with a Statement of Ac- Hotels, Limited, will be held at counts for the year ended 31st De- Exchange Building, Victoria, in

cember, 1931. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY 18th February, to MONDAY, 29th February, both nual General Meeting of the Com-

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.

Hong Kong, 10th February, 1932.

THE DAIRY FARM, ICE & COLI

STORAGE COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-SIXTH OR- value of \$10.00 each) by the crea-DINARY YEARLY MEETING of tion of 500,000 New Shares of the the Shareholders in the Company nominal value of \$10.00 each. will be held at the Company's tors together with Statement of

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd February to 2nd March,

By Order of the Board of Directors, M. MANUK.

Secretary.

WHARF & GODOWN CO., LTD.

NOTICE OF SHAREHOLDERS.

ARY ANNUAL MEETING of Matheson & Co., Ltd., on THURSand the Statement of Accounts for in which the offer if not accepted and appoint Bookmakers, Tic Tac men, etc., the year ended 81st December, by the Member on behalf of him-

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the TUESDAY, the 1st March, 1932, Tiffins will be obtainable in the to THURSDAY, the 10th March, By Order of the Board of

Directors, F. H. CRAPNELL,



THE HONG KONG & SHANGHAI

HOTELS, LIMITED. (Incorporated in Hong Kong)

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN that the SEVENTH ORDINthat the Ordinary Yearly ARY YEARLY MEETING of the ARTICULARS & CONDITIONS in this Corporation will be held at Meeting of Shareholders of The HONG KONG TELEPHONE COM- THE Undersigned have received of the Sale by Public Auction the Head Office of the Corporation, Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels. PANY, LIMITED, will be held on instructions to sell by Public to be held on MONDAY, the No. 1, Queen's Road Central, Limited, will be held at the Regis- WEDNESDAY, the 9th Day of Auction 29th day of February, 1932, at Hong Kong, on SATURDAY, the tered Office of the Company March, 1932, at the BOARD 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public 27th February, 1932, at 11.30 a.m. (Exchange Building, Des Voeux ROOM of the Company, Second Works Department, by Order of for the purpose of receiving the Road Central, Hong Kong), on Floor, Exchange Building, Hong His Excellency the Governor, of Report of the Board of Directors Friday, the 18th day of March, Kong, at 11 a.m., for the purpose one lot of Crown Land at Wong together with a Statement of Ac- 1932, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of of receiving a Statement of Ac-Nel Chung, in the Colony of Hong counts for the year ending 31st receiving a Statement of Accounts counts and the Report of the and the Report of the Board of Board of Directors, for the Finan-The REGISTER OF SHARES Directors for the year ended on the cial Year ended 31st. December. at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the of the Corporation will be CLOS- 31st December, 1931, confirming the 1931, and re-electing Two Direc-Surveyor of His Majesty the King. ED from MONDAY, the 15th appointment of a Director and re- tors and the Auditors. for one further term of 75 years. February, to SATURDAY, the 27th electing a Director and the The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Comprising:-

> until Friday, the 18th March, 1932, ary, 1932. both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board, F. C. BARRY, Secretary. Hong Kong, 27th January, 1932.

THE HONG KONG & SHANGHAI

HOTELS, LIMITED. NOTICE OF EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING.

that an Extraordinary Genthe Colony of Hong Kong, on FRI-DAY, the Eighteenth day of March, 1932, at 11.30 in the forenoon immediately after the Anpany, for the purpose of considering and if thought fit passing the following resolutions as Ordinary

Resolutions:-1. That the nuthorised Capital of the Company (which is now \$10,000,000.00 divided into 1,000,-000 Shares of \$10.00 each, of which the whole have been issued) be increased from \$10,000, 000.00 consisting as aforesaid to \$15,000,060.00 (consisting of 1,500,000 Shares of the nominal

2. That in the first instance Town Office, 2, Lower Albert Road, 200,000 of the said New Shares be on WEDNESDAY, 2nd March, offered at par (in the proportion 1932, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of of one New Share for every five receiving the Report of the Direc- Old Shares held by them respectively) to the persons who on the Register as the holders of the 1,000,000 Old Shares and so that on acceptance of such offer the full nominal amount due in respect of such 200,000 New Shares shall be payable on the 30th day of June, 1932, and that on acceptance of such offer and on payment in manner aforesaid such shares so taken up shall rank as from the Hong Kong, 15th February, 1932. 1st day of July, 1932, for dividend and in all other respects pari passu with the shares constituting the THE HONG KONG & KOWLOON Company's present issued Capital, and that any of the said 200,000 New Shares which shall not be taken up by the Company's Shareholders in manner aforesaid be disposed of at such time or times The price of admission to the FINE FORTY-FIFTH ORDIN- in such manner and upon such terms and conditions as the Comincluding tax for all persons, in-SHAREHOLDERS will be held at pany's Board of Directors shall

self or his nominee will be deemed to be declined and that the Directors be at liberty to fix such time and to extend it to such date or dates as they may think fit. 4. That the balance of 800,000 Shares constituting the Company's unissued Capital be issued at sucl time or times in such manner and for such purposes and upon such dred and thirty Hong Kong, 22nd February, 1982, pect as the Company's Board of Directors may decide.

Resolution as an Extraordinary 5. That the Articles of Associa-

tion of the Company be altered in manner following (a) By the insertion mine- By Order of the Board, distely after Article No. 126 of the existing Articles of As-

HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

Company will be CLOSED from The Transfer Books of the the 3rd to 2th March, 1932, both Wednesday, the 2nd March, 1932, Dated this 15th day of Febru-

> By Order of the Board, W. L. McKENZIE, Secretary 14, Des Voeux Road Central.

"new Articles to be known as "Articles 126A and 126B."

Hong Kong.

"126A. Each Director who "is a registered holder in his "own right of not less than "25,000 Shares in the Capital etc. "of the Company shall have "the power to nominate any "person approved for that "purpose by a majority of the "other Directors of the Com-"pany to act as an alternate "Director, in his place, during Opium Stools, Jardinieres, Tables, "his absence from the Colony etc., etc. "of Hong Kong or inability to "act through illness as such "Director, and at his discretion: "to remove such alternate "Director, and on any such ap-"pointment being made, the "alternate Director shall be "subject in all respect to the "terms and conditions existing "with reference to the other "Directors of the Company, and "any alternate Director while "acting in the place of an "and discharge all the duties "and functions of the Director "he represents, but shall look "to such Director solely for his "remuneration and shall not be "entitled to claim remuneration "from the Company. Provided "always that it shall be a condi-"tion precedent to the exercise "of the power of appointment "herein contained and the con-"tinuance of the appointment "hereunder that the Director "exercising the same shall be, "at the time of making such "appointment and shall con-"tinue to be so long as the "said appointment continues, "the registered holder in his "own right of not less than "25,000 Shares in the Capital "of the Company. Every ap-"pointment made in pursuance

"of this Article shall be in "writing under the hand of the "Director making the same." "162B. Any instrument ap-"pointing an alternate Director "in pursuance of Article 126A "of these Articles shall be as "nearly as circumstances will ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN "admit in the following form "or to the effect following:---HOTELS, LIMITED.

closure at \$1.00 per day including ing the Report of the Directors titled and limiting the time with of the Company do hereby nominate place under the old Scrip Certificate

to act as alternate Director in my place during my absence from the Colony of Hong Kong or my inability to act as a Director through illness (as the case may be) to exercise and discharge all my duties as a Director of the Company.

AS WITNESS my hand this day of One thousand nine hun-

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that a further Extrapurpose of considering and if April, 1982, for the purpose of rethought fit passing the following celving a report of the proceedings Dollar Directory are requested at the last above mentioned meeting a Special Resolution the before mentioned resolution numbered 5 herein. Dated tills 27th day of January, 1982, (and the first official) bearing

LAMMERT BROS.

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS

AND SURVEYORS.

~ 0N MONDAY, February 29, 1932, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Room. 4, Duddell Street,

A Quantity of VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Teak Hatstands, Chesterfield Couches and Armchairs,

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ary 27, 1932. Terms:—Cash on Delivery. Catalogues will be issued.

LAMMERT BROS. Auctioneers

Hong Kong, February 25, 1932.

"absent Director, shall exercise THE Underslaned have received instructions to sell by Public

TUESDAY, March 1, 1932, commencing at 10.30 a.m.,

A Quantity of VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. On View from Monday, Febru-

at No. 1, Felix Villa, Pokfulum,

ary 29, 1932. 'Terms:--Cash on Delivery. LAMMERT BROS..

Hong Kong, February 23, 1932.

Auctioneers.

THE HONG KONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

NOTICE.

that Scrip Certificate No. 5285, Estimated population 448,900 dated 4th November, 1904, for one Consumation per THE HONG KONG & SHANGHAI Share No. 7596 in the name of Mr. ROBERT ERNEST HUMPHREYS from Mainland. of Manila, has been LOST, and December, 1980,-Constant Supply a Director of The should same not be produced before throughout the City, Hill & High Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels, the 10th March, 1932, a new Cer-Level districts during the whole month 3. That such offer be made by Limited, in pursuance of the power tificate will be issued to the said West of Eastern Street where a con-Soldiers and Sailors in uniform DAY, the 10th March, 1982, AT notice specifying the number of in that behalf contained in Article Mr. ROBERT ERNEST HUM-stant street fountain supply was are admitted to the Public En- NOON, for the purpose of receiv- shares to which the Member is en- 126A of the Articles of Association PHREYS, and no transaction taking operated from December 1 to 31, 1980.

> JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. LIMITED. General Managers. Hong Kong, 25th February, 1982.

All Firms, Associations, Clubs, Kowloon Byswash 51.85 ordinary General Meeting of the ctc., who have not yet sent in the Reservoir 111.67 104.76 ALSO GIVEN that the before Members of the above named Comparticulars of their concerns for pany will be held at Noon at the Meeting will be continued for the same place on the Fourth day of the 1932 issue of the Hong Kong to the publishers without delay. The HONG KONG DOLLAR DIRECTORY CO. China Mali Bullding. Ja, Wynaham Street.

WHERE THE MONEY GOES.

Votes Totalling \$58,418 Passed.

ANTI-JAPANESE RIOT SEQUEL.

At a meeting of the Finance Committee, which followed the meeting of the Legislative Council, yesterday afternoon, votes totalling

\$58,418 were approved. Of this amount, \$33,633 was in connection with the 1931 Estimates and 24.785 in connection with the current Estimates.

The biggest item in connection with the 1932 Estimates was one of \$20,000 in connection with last Cabinets, Bookcase, Desks, Tables, year's anti-Japanese riots. The de-Pictures, Carpets, Rugs, Curtains, tails were as follows:-Allowances to Police Reserve \$2,692

thorities Authorities Travelling Expenses including motor bus and car hire 7.306 Board and lodgings for guards, meals and refreshments

Contingencies

A CHINESE MAID.

Picturesque Report From Manchuria.

A Chinese "Maid of Orleans," in the shape of a young girl mounted on a white horse and leading 400 Chinese irregular troops into the fray, recently made her appearance in the Manchurian theatre of war, according to Press statements, which add that the troops following her banner are distinguished by

WATER RETURN.

conspicuous bravery and discipline.

All the Reservoirs on Island Below Level.

The level and storage of water in the reservoirs on January 1, 1932, were as under:-City and Hill District.

Tytam Byewash ... 21' 4"B 23'10"B Tytam Intermediate 0' 2"B 26' 0"B Tytam Tuk 17' 1"B Wong Nei Chung . 17' 8"B Pokfulum 17' 1"B Aberdeen Upper ... Aberdeen Lower ... [Note: B. denotes "Below Overflow"; A. denotes "Above Overflow"; L. denotes "Level with Overflow."]

Storage in millions and decimals of gallons. Tytam Lytam Byewash ... Tytam Intermediate Tytam Tuk Wong Nei Chung Poktulum Aberdeen Upper Aberdeen Lower ...

Total 1,487.04 Consumption of water in the City and Hill District in millions and decimals of gallons during the month of December, 1931.

Commention 276.89 19.9 cm day ... 19.9 *Includes 66.14 million

throughout the City, Hill & High will be recognised by the Company. Level Districts during the whole Kowloon. Kowloon Main 2'10"B Kowloon Byewash Shek Lai Pui Reservoir 1' 1"B Shing Mun Recep-

Storage in millions and decimals of gallons.

Kowloon Main 823.56 - 852.50 Shek Lai Pui Consumption of water in Kowloon in millions and decimals of gallons

to during the month of December, 1931. Estimated population, 178,800, 294,200 Consumption per day 25.0 15.6

The reports of the Government Bacteriologist and Analyst show that the quality of the water is satisfactory.

Total rainfall recorded by Royal

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BUENOS AIRES via Singa- pore & Colombo		Sat.,	5th Mar.
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Colombo CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon. HAIPHONG via Holhow	Sumatra Maru	Wed.,	2nd Mar.
EEELUNG via Swatow & Amoy (8 p.m. every Sun-	Canton Maru	Sun.,	28th Feb.
JAPAN PORTS via Takao &	Canada Maru	Thurs.,	10th Mar.
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Kaying, for Shanghai. Luchow, for Shanghai. Proteus, for Salgon. Shun Chih, for Salgon. Sydney Maru, for Singapore. Tai Lee, for Chefoo. Zuiho Maru, for Keelung.



SUEZ CANAL DUES REDUCTION

HOPES OF FURTHER CUTS LATER.

At a monthly council meeting of existence between the Canal Comthe Liverpool Chamber of Com- pany and its customers as an outmerce presided over by Mr. J. A. wards getting further reductions come of the campaign will help to-Eckes, the following letter from the from time to time as and when the Liverpool Steam Ship Owners' Asso- trading results of the Canal Comciation was read thanking the pany permit. Chamber for its assistance in the "It is unfortunately true that, Association's campaign to secure a owing to the depreciation in the reduction in Suez Canal dues:— value of the pound sterling, the cost

"You will, no doubt, have seen of transit of the canal to the Brithe announcement by the Suez Canal tish cargo carrying vessel has auto-Company of a reduction in the rate matically increased by upwards of of dues for vessels carrying cargo 25 per cent. owing to the fact that from 6.65 to 6 francs (gold) p.r the British shipowner has to pay ton, and a reduction in the rate for more for the gold francs in which vessels in ballast of 32.5 centimes the dues are payable. The increase (gold) per ton. The Association so brought about is, to some extent, boat. feels that these reduction can on offset by the present reduction, but the whole be regarded as a satisfac- taking the reduction into consideratory result of the campaign initiated tion with the present depreciated by it in the early months of the value of the pound, the rates are present year, and pursued through-approximately 16 per cent. higher out the year with the active assist- to-day than they were when Britain Hydrangea, British str., 561 tons, ance of Chambers of Shipping and went off the gold standard.

Commerce and other shipping and "It must, however, be appreciated trade organisations and companies that from the Canal Company's point of view the reduction is a both at home and abroad.

"The Association would like to substantial one, and there can be express its sense of gratitude for little doubt that it should, by actthe assistance that your organisa-ing as a stimulus to trade, benefit. tion has rendered in connection with not only the shipowners and traders that campaign. It may be hoped who pay the dues, but also the that the more friendly relations Canal Company by way of increased which it is believed have come into traffic."

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

INWARD MAILS.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26. Swatow and ShanghaiSunning SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27. U.S.A., Canada, Japan & Shanghai (Seattle, (Ship due at 8 p.m., Feb. 26.) SUNDAY, FEBRUARY

OUTWARD MAILS.

FRIDAY.	FEBRUARY 26.
Hoihow and Pakhoi	
Shanghai and *Europe via Siberia .	
Samshul and Wuchow	Kong So 4 p.m.
Saigon	Clara Jebsen 4.30 p.m.
Amov	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius,	
E. & S. Africa, Egypt & Europe	
via Marseilles	Naldera
•	(Due Marseilles, Mar. 25.)
K.P.O.	G.P.O.
Parcels Feb. 26, 4.80 p.m.	ParcelsFeb. 26, 5 p.m
Registration Feb. 27, 9 a.m.	Registration . Feb. 27, 9.45 a.m.
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	FEBRUARY 27.
Manila, Australia & New Zealand	
via Thursday Island	
	(Due Thursday Island, Mar. 10.)
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	ParcelsFeb. 27, 9 a.m.
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Haiphong	Canton 2.30 p.m.
Foochow	Liangchow 3.30 p.m.
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The following British warships were in harbour to-day:-Berwick-No. 6 buoy. Bridgewater-North wall. Bruce-In dock. Heraid-East wall. Hermes-No. 1 buoy. Keppel-North arm. Marazion-North wall. Medway & subs.-No. 2 buoy. Pandorn-In dock. Proteus-In dock. Tamar-Basin. Veteran-West wall. Wren-West wall. Whitshed-West wall. Witch-West wall. Foreign Men-of-War. Argus-French river gunboat.

ARRIVALS OF SHIPS.

Gil Eanes-Portuguese transport

Mindanao-American river gun-

Wednesday, February 24. Captain P. W. Grierson, from Swatow, Chiu On Wharf .-- Chiu On S.S. Co.

Santhia, British str., 4,841 tons. Capt. H. Gibsone, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf .-- M.M. & Co.

Atagosan Maru, Japanese str.. 1,487 tons, Capt. Imai, from Hongay, Kowloon Bay.-M.B.K. Thursday, February 25.

Empress of Japan, British str., 15,725 tons, Capt. S. Robinson, from Manila, Kowloon Dock .--C.P.R. Halvard, British str., 1,217 tons Capt. A. Hall, from Saigon,

buoy No. B16.—Wo Fat Sing. Java, Danish str., 5,525 tons, Capt. Mouritzen, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf .- John Manners & Co.

. Kaituna, British str., 1,208 tons. Capt. A. Christic, from Canton, Yaumati Anchorage.-Williamson & Co.

Luchow, British str., 1,221 tons, Capt. W. Paul, from Canton, buoy No. B3.—B. & S.

G.G. Maurice Long II., French str., • 579 tons, Capt. H. Couraguoux, from Haiphong, buoy No. C2.-Pakhoi & Co.

Mogami Maru, Japanese str., 1,830 tons, Capt. Shinya, from Keelung, Yaumati Anchorage .---M.B.K. Norviken, Norwegian str., 1,779

tons, Capt. F. E. Ulstad, from Swatow, buoy No. B1.-J.M. & Proteus, Norwegian.str., 1,025 tons,

Capt. S. Larsen, from Canton, Yaumati Anchorage.—K. Larsen Rajputana, British str., 9,454 tons, Capt. R. Holland, from London via Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.

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TALMA .	10,000	11th	Mar.	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
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understand that negotiations big submarine depot ship for Chile. are in progress which may lead to while the Chilean battleship the placing of a large foreign naval Almirante Latone underwent an contract with a British shipbuilding extensive refit at Devonport dock- The Steamship firm. The order, it is stated, in- yard in 1929-31. cludes two p werful crui ers of The Argentine Government has more than 7,000 tons, writes the also been a customer to the extent

Telegraph. served in regard to this contract, cruisers, went to Italy. Moreover, but there is every reason to believe Italy and France between rivals, in spite of the enticing finan- Before the War British shipyards

rather badly in the post-War com- unrivalled experience and destroyers, three submarines, and a builders.

naval correspondent of the Daily of three flotilla leaders and surveying ships, but its largest Considerable secrecy is being ob- order, namely two 7.000-ton Godown Co., Ltd whence and/or from that it will be secured by British have secured most of the recent and industry in the teeth of Continental naval contracts from minor Powers. 1st March will be subject to rent.

cial terms offered by the latter. had virtually a monopoly of such before the 15th March, or they will Until recently Britain has fared work, and to-day, thanks to their not be recognised. petition for overseas naval con-ment, they are in a position to give tracts. British firms have built six better value than any foreign 29th February at 10 a.m., by Messrs.

NOW SHIPBREAKERS.

Type Firm's New Role During Slack Period.

Shipbreaking instead of shipbuilding is about to be undertaken and marconed for two nights and a by Messrs. Swan, Hunter and day on a rocky island off the coast Wigham Richardson. The Tyne firm of Greece, the crew of the Greek have arranged with the Hughes cargo steamer Minas were at last Blockow Shipbreaking Co., Blyth, to rescued by a lifeboat from the break up the cargo steamer Cam- Piraeus, on January 2. brian Maid at the Wallsend yard. .

they have parted with the Cambrian take refuge on the rocks.

Type firm is stated to be a purely get near enough to effect a rescue. ployment.

HONG KONG TIDES.

The time used is Standard, or mean time of the meridian of 120 deg. E.; 00h. is midnight, 12hrs. is 10on. The heights are referred to the datum of

February 26 to March 8, 1932.

Date		High	Wa	ter	Lov	v We	iter
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	•	12	29	5.6	18	23	2.0
Sat.	27 .	. 00	52	5.4	08	45	2.1
		18	02	5.8	19	85	1.9
Sun.	28 .	. 01	58	4.4	07	10	2.7
		13	40	5.9	21	10	1,9
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CREW'S ORDEAL.

Nights.

After having been shipwrecked

This vessel of 4.612 tons was December 31, their vessel sustained built in 1910, and has been laid up a damaged rudder and was forced in Blyth Harbour about 18 months, on the rocky coast of the island of having arrived, Consignees of cargo She was recently purchased by the Fleves, some miles from the re hereby informed that all goods Hughes, Blockow Shipbreaking Co., Piracus, and shortly afterwards risk into the hazardous and/or extrabut as the latter company has a broke up. The crew sent off an iszardous Godowns of The Hongkong large amount of tonnage in hand S.O.S., and were then obliged to & Kowloon Whari & Godown Co., Ltd.

they could not be reached on ac-This departure from orthodox count of the rough sea, and it was temporary measure to provide em- Although very exhausted, only one of the men was injured.

Numerous forms of steam trap water and any solid particles which the largest scale Admiralty chart of may be present in the steam during the place and should be added to the its passage from the boiler to the

is provided at the base of the trap required.—Shipbuilding.

Clinging To Rocks For Two

At the height of the gale on The Motor Vessel.

Maid because, it is understood, A lifeboat was sent out from the Messrs. Swan, Hunter and Wigham mainland, and with the help of flood goods have left the Godowns, and all Richardson are desirous of keeping lights it was possible to distinguish goods remaining undelivered after the their staff together during the slack the crew clinging to the rocks, but 3rd March, 1932, at 4 p.m. will be shipbuilding on the part of the only to-day that the lifeboat could where they will be examined by

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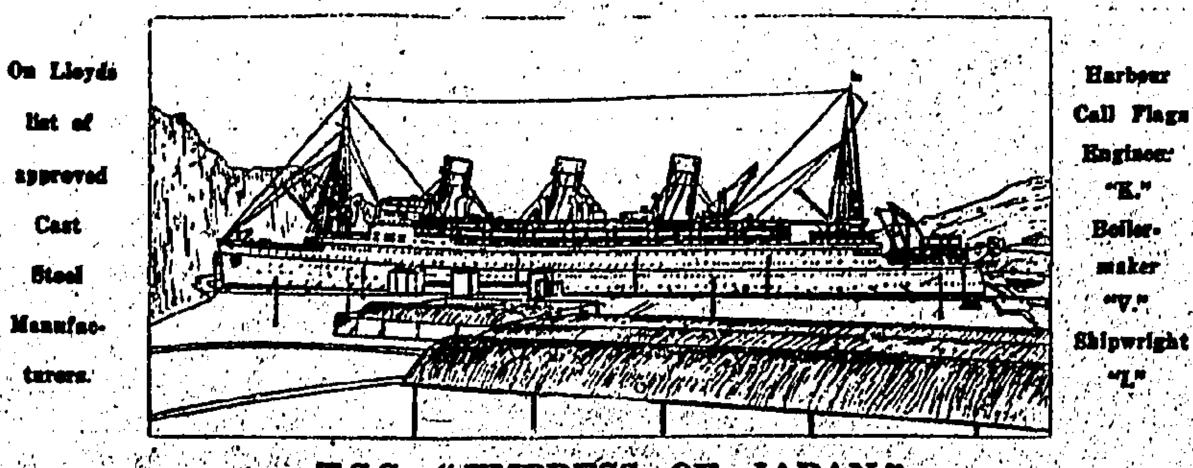
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Produced at the Twickenham studios, the British talkie success "The Rosary," featuring Margot Grahame and Elizabeth Allan, now playing at the Queen's Theatre. The acting is of a very high stan- on! Nothing could have bee dard, and the dramatic appeal is more relentless than the ironica never lost.

As the two half-sisters, Miss carried on, sharing the danger Grahame and Miss Allan, a brunette braving the adversities that seen and a blonde, act admirably, al- ed to mark them for a life-tir though the latter's dramatic facial of sorrow. Fighting back at li expressions are a trifle overdone. with the courage that only Irene Rooke, as the Mother strong elemental love can brin Superior, Leslie Perrins, as Ronald And, finally, winning a gloriou Overton, and Walter Piers, as Major victory in mutual happiness. Children's Boots or Mannering, are convincing, and the support given by the remainder of the cast, leaves nothing to be desired.

> The Court trial scene is well In "The Rosary," the director has handled the situation with care, the scene forming a most

pleasing feature of the picture. Supporting the attraction, there is shown an interesting Cine Magazine, and a most amusing

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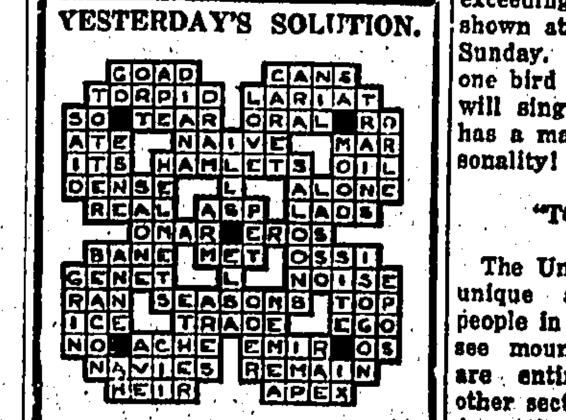
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est is directed toward this new Big House" are genuine and be-Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production, lievable. The action—and there is because it follows Barrymore's plenty of it—is swift and excitpersonal triumph as the veteran ing. The suspense is terrific. criminal attorney in "A Free Soul" The acting is superb. And, most and is the first picture he has of all, there is the spiritual life carried as principal player in sev- to this story that will carry audieral years, his efforts having been ences to the heights of heartconfined to direction since the ad-warming romance. It's a show vent of sound films. that sets out to do a big job, to

Barrymore is cast as Richard give Americans a red-blooded Grant, who, as a district attorney, American action-romance playsent fifty men to the electric chair, and does it! As a criminal attorney he saved a hundred from a like fate. Summoned to the island estate of Rich,

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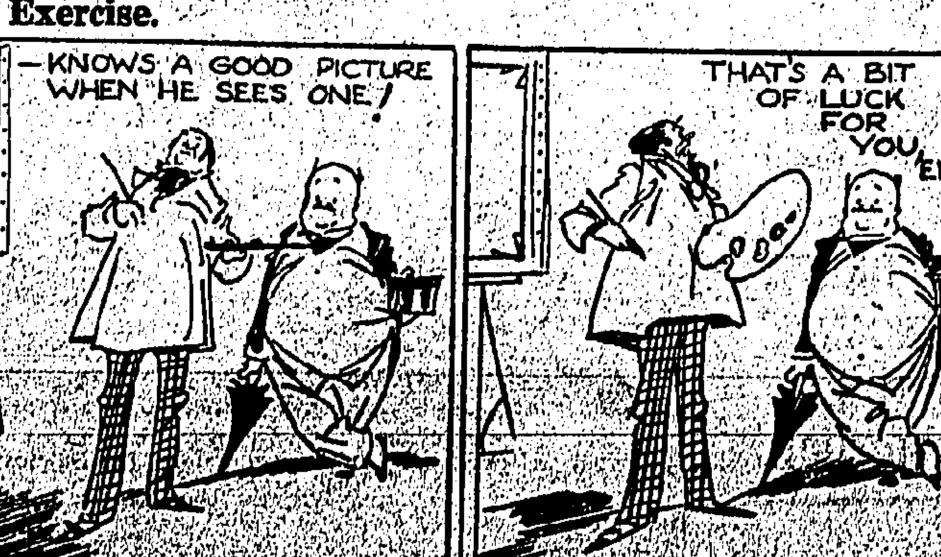
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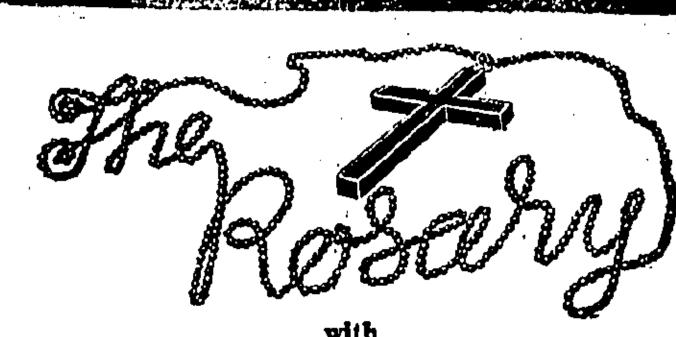
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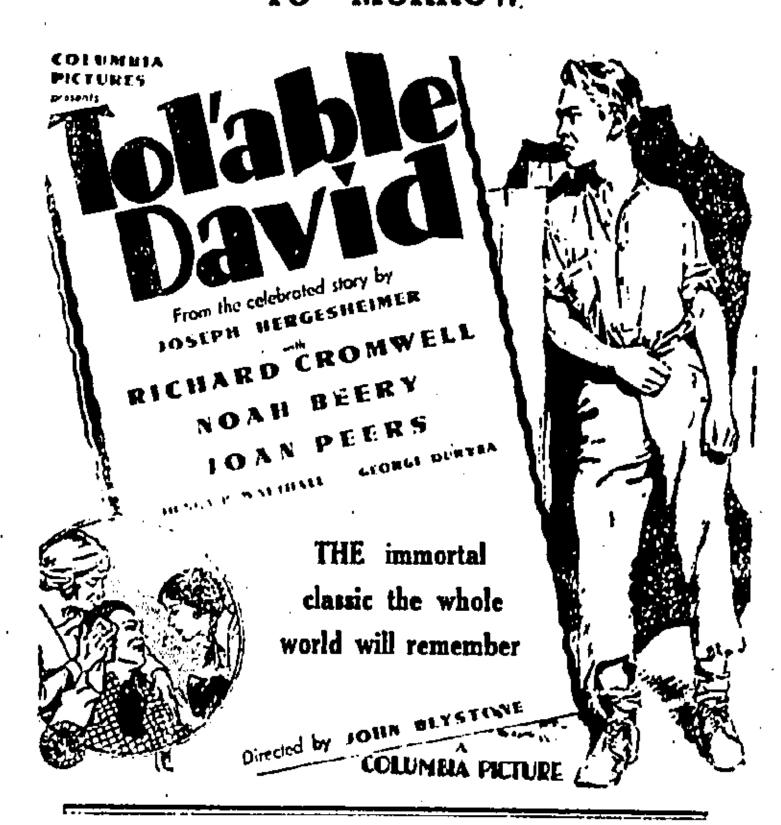
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PRISONER QUOTES SHAKESPEARE.

"The Quality of Mercy."

A prisoner who quoted Shakespeare's lines from "The Merchant of Venice" when asked whether he had anything to say after being found guilty was sentenced to four years' penal servitude for burglary and assault at Sheffield Quarter day by 442 votes to 62. be useless to ask for leniency," he will be read formally for the taken out by defendant's father, said, "but there is a verse by a first time to-morrow, and the and when he died recently the poet-I think it was Cowper-which Lords will pass it on Monday. | licence at once became void. He runs like this." He then quoted The duties will then begin to asked if the magistrates were aware "The quality of mercy is not strain- operate from March I.

was charged with breaking into two fibre hemp and hemp tow are not been taken out. Sheffield houses and steating goods placed on the Free List. to the value of £83. It was stated Another amendment to the that at one house he consumed a mort Duties Bill placing soya aking out the licence in the joint quantity of food and stole beer and beans on the free/list has been wine. He left notes for the cook, eccepted by Mr. Neville Chamberone of which read: "Your tarts are lain .- Reuter. indeed most delightful;" The Wandwriting formed part-of the evidence against Snape. At another house, where he stole a quantity of jewellery and silver, he left finger-prints, which were identified by Scotland Yard. It was stated that while being transferred from Sheffield to Manchester at his own request before his trial he assaulted a police

Snape asked for eleven other year for the last five years in twelve. No human lives have been charges of housebreaking to be of the largest departments. Their threatened, but the elders of the taken into consideration. seem to be a hopeless case," said the of adding or multiplying sets of plies brought to them by white Recorder (Mr. Walter Hedley). figures to working out costs for the men. "You have spent practically the last construction of a gun or battleship. ten years of your life in prison, with short intervals."

U.S. AMBASSADOR FOR LONDON.

Rugby, Yesterday. The newly appointed United States Ambassador in London, Mr. methods the staff would have had to are now advocating the abandon-Andrew Mellon, will reach England be greatly increased. some time in the middle of March.-British Wireless Service.

BRAVERY REWARDED.

that easy-going state has long since Rugby, Yesterday. Service claims to rank with that of A party of 19 miners, who worked for nine hours when in great any modern business enterprise. danger to rescue a fellow miner, were decorated with the Edward Medal by His Majesty the King at to-day's private investiture at Buckingham Palace.—British Wireless Service.

MOTOR DEPUTATION.

Rugby, Yesterday. J. H. Thomas, to-day received a a "Peace Army" of British men and isation, which financed the Prodeputation of British Motor manu- women, who are eager to place fessor's flight, is asking for the facturers, who submitted views themselves unarmed between the gondola to be placed in a Brusregarding a means whereby their Chinese and Japanese armies with sels museum. industry might be helped by the the hope of stopping the fighting, Professor Miller's way out is Ottawa Imperial Conference.—Bri- has been sent to the League of to cut the gondola (which is tish Wireless Service.

MR. GREENIDGE PROMOTED.

Rugby, Yesterday. His Majesty the King has been ter). pleased to give directions for the This proposed step is revealed in appointment of Mr. Charles a letter in this morning's press. Greenidge, Magistrate of Trinidad, Signatories state that they have visited the Birmingham section of to Chief Justice of British Hon-come to the conclusion of like- the British Industries Fair,-Briduras .- British Wireless Service. thinkers .- Router.

Hostilities. NOVEL OFFER TO THE LEAGUE London, Yesterday.

Only Way to End

vanished. In its organisation the

"PEACE ARMY."

Nations. It is signed by Miss spherical) in halves and let both Maude Royden (woman preacher), museums have the display.—Bri-Dean H. R. L. Sheppard (the most tish United Press. popular London padre) and Rev. Herbert Gray (Presbyterian Minis-

WHEN DOG LICENCES BECOME VOID.

A Little-Known Point of Law.

A curious point relating to the validity of dog licences was mentioned at the Radcliffe Police Court, when Alice Whewell, of Hamilton Road, Whitefield, was summoned for not having a licence for her dog.

It was pointed out by Mr. Clayton Sessions. "I realise that it would In the House of Lords the Bill that the licence for the dog was that if any one or them had a dog! Mr. Neville Chamberlain has and he died his wife could be pro-The man was John Edward Snape accepted an amendment to the scuted a day or two later for not (27), bricklayer, of Sheffield, and he Import Duties Bill by which soft naving a licence if a new one had

The Clerk said it was open to any one to overcome that possibility by names of the husband and wife. Mr. Clayton: That is a good tip

for the public. Superintendent Thompson asked for the summons to be withdrawn, and the Bench agreed.

BARBARIC RITES.

Reports that Eskimos are reverting to the faith of their fathers and are staging barbaric The introduction of robot clerks tribal ceremonies are being insergeant by hitting him on the head in Government departments, has vestigated by the Royal Canaresulted in the saving of £500,000 a man Mounted Police.

"You service ranges from the simple task tribes have destroyed food sup-

While Eskimos have hitherto In the Post Office Department, been very friendly and notably at the headquarters of whites, relations have become the Post Office Savings Bank, strained since trappers have machinery is now used for ledger been pushing farther into entries, tabulation, accountancy, and Eskimo territory.

in other useful ways. But for the Men who correspond to "witch introduction of these modern doctors" among the negro tribes ment of all white men's customs! If ever there was any justification and a return to the faith of for the tradition that Government their fathers .- British United. departments are havens of rest. Press.

A SOLOMON FROM MUNICH.

The mantle of Solomon has fallen on Professor Oskar von Miller, head of the Munich! Museum, who has suggested a ettlement in the dispute about the gondola of Professor Piccard's balloon (in which an ascent of ten miles to the stratosphere was made).

Professor Miller has made an offer for the gondola, to add to the museum's collection of pion-The Dominions Secretary, Mr. A letter offering the services of eer aircraft. The Belgian organ-

PRINCE AT BIRMINGHAM.

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